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I. INTRODUCTION

A. SMALL WATERPLANE TWIN HULL CONCEPT

The Small Waterplane Twin Hull (SWATH) structure has several advantages over that of the conventional monohull. Some of the improved operating conditions are: improved seakeeping in high seas, reduced deck wetness, reduced slamming in waves and better crew effectiveness and safety due to a more stable work environment (Gupta, 1986). Most of these improvements result from reduced dynamic response of the hull to waves. Much of a ship's dynamic response to waves is directly related to the waterplane area of the hull. For the most part, a reduction in dynamic response will follow a reduction in the waterplane area of the hull (Muckle, 1989). A newer adaptation of this concept is the SLICE Advanced Technology Demonstrator (ATD). The 170 ton SLICE design, by Lockheed Missile and Space Company, enjoys the seakeeping benefits of the SWATH but has a slightly different hull geometry. Recent studies of the SLICE hull have been done by Rodriguez (1995), Roberts (1995) and Lesh (1995). Rodriguez (1995) investigated the structural reaction to three different wave angle heading loads at sea state 5 and 8. Roberts (1995) analyzed the effect of prying forces, squeezing forces and a combination of racking forces on the forward struts and prying forces on the after struts. Lesh (1995) conducted a motion study of the SLICE to

evaluate the ship's seakeeping characteristics. The SLICE hull consists of an upper hull supported by four independent pods or struts vice two running the length of the ship.

Advantages of this modification are a reduction in area that is subjected to side forces and a further reduction in water plane area. Figure (1) illustrates the basic geometry of SWATH and SLICE hulls. The overall structure and dimensions of the SLICE are shown in Figure (2) and Table (1).

B. LONGITUDINAL BENDING OF THE SLICE HULL

With the use of a fore and aft strut (on each side of the hull) instead of a long strut, the response of the hull to bending moments is significantly different. With the SLICE, static and dynamic loads are transmitted via the four struts to a hull of considerably reduced cross section near midships compared to the traditional SWATH. The focus of this study is to better understand the factors that affect bending moment imparted on the hull due to the wave loads via the four strut configuration. Strip Theory is applied to a model of the ship for the resolution of wave loads on A portion of the hull is identified as the limiting area of the hull and is evaluated for its ability to withstand normal bending stress induced by wave loads. Based on a limiting stress for the hull material the operability of the SLICE is evaluated for speeds of 10 to 30 kts in sea states up to and including sea state 6.

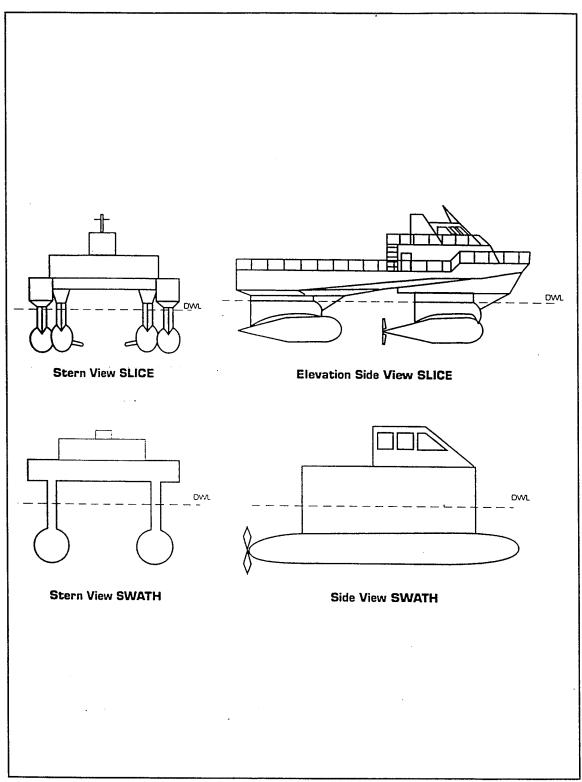


Figure 1. Comparison of SLICE and SWATH Hull Geometry, After LMSC, 1994.

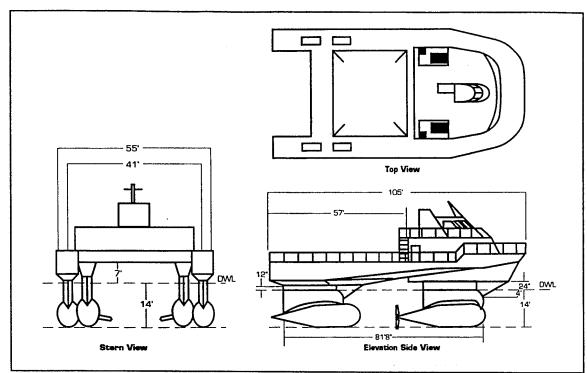


Figure 2 The SLICE (ATD), From LMSC, 1994.

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Length Overall	105' - 0"					
Length Between Perpendiculars	81' - 8"					
Length of Forward Lower Hull	33' - 9"					
Length of Aft Lower Hull	36' - 0"					
Length of Struts	24' - 0"					
Breadth overall	55' - 0"					
Diameter (max.) Lower Hull	8' - 0"					
Depth Molded to Main Deck	25' - 0"					
Depth Molded to Design Water Line	14' - 0"					
Length on Design Water Line	89' - 1 1/2"					
Forward Hull Offset From Centerline	16' - 6"					
Aft Hull Offset From Centerline	23' - 6"					

Table (1). SLICE Principal Dimensions, From Lesh, 1995.

II. MODELING

A. OBJECTIVE OF THE STUDY

This study focuses on the relationship between hull bending moments and sea state, relative heading and ship speed. The operability of the SLICE is evaluated based on headings and sea states that do not result in exceeding an acceptable limit and is reported for speeds between 10 and 30 kts. The SLICE hull is modeled using Strip Theory with the use of the computer code SHIPMO.BM (Beck, 1989). Weight curve data that is representative of ferrying operations is used to model an anticipated application for the 170 ton hull. The model is subjected to sea states 2 through 6 at speed between 10 and 30 kts and relative wave headings from following to head seas. The longitudinal stress is evaluated at a portion of the hull that consistently experiences high bending moments and has the lowest section modulus.

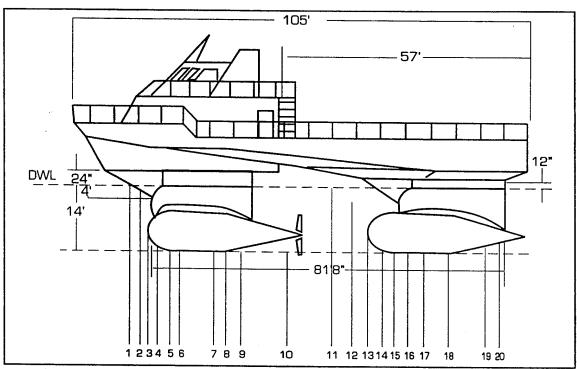
B. THE SHIPMO PROGRAM

The FORTRAN 77 code SHIPMO is used in this study to model the SLICE hull. It is based on the Strip Theory of Salvenson, Tuck and Faltinsen (Salvenson, 1970) and is written by Beck and Troech (Beck, 1989). Strip theory is a method for solving three dimensional hydrodynamic problems. The first portion of the solution involves the solution of a

two dimensional problem at each station. These solutions are then integrated along the length of the hull, producing the three dimensional solution. The primary code SHIPMO.BM controls the numerical modeling procedure with the use of several self contained subroutines. All portions of the program are well documented, allowing the user to follow the operational procedure of the code. The program predicts motion in six directions, two shear distributions and three bending moment distributions. The compressive shear stress distribution along the length of the hull is not determined because of a lack of faith in the accuracy of the calculation.

The calculation of motions, shear stress and bending moment are based on sea state and on the following ship characteristics: hull geometry, weight curve data, fluid dynamic properties, heading and speed. These characteristics are read into the program with the use of an input file SHIPMO.IN. A sample input file is located in Appendix A. The information that is provided in the file contains the hull's dimensions, damping coefficients, weight curve distribution speed and heading and the type of wave spectra used to approximate the sea state. A thorough description of the input data is available in Appendix A of Beck (1989). The geometry of the hull is described using twenty stations along the hull (see Figure (3)). Uniform

spacing was not used due to the unique shape of the hull. The locations of the twenty stations were selected so as to better describe the unique details of the hull shape. The weight curve information is based on the SLICE employed in ferry applications and is from Roberts (1995). The SLICE weight curve used in this study is shown in Figure (4) from Lesh (1995).



.Figure 3. SLICE Hull with Stations, After LMSC, 1994.

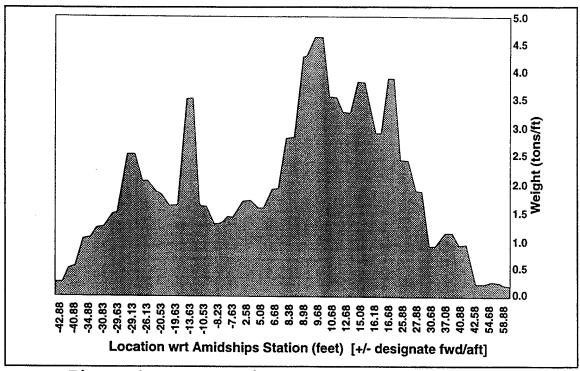


Figure 4. SLICE Weight Curve, From Lesh, 1995.

C. CALM WATER BENDING MOMENTS

The primary hydrostatic forces on a ship hull at rest are due to the combination of the upward vertical buoyancy forces and the downward vertical gravitational forces. When the hull of a ship is modeled as a beam, referred to as a hull girder, it can be treated as a beam with distributed loads. The weight per unit length load is simply the ship's mass as a function of position along the hull multiplied by the gravitational acceleration. The buoyancy per unit length load is the submerged cross-sectional area multiplied by the specific weight of the displaced fluid (Muckle, 1987). The static bending moment about the transverse axis

or in the vertical plane are referred to as the calm water bending moment (CWBM) in the SHIPMO program. The CWBM is determined by a double numerical integration of the difference between weight per unit length and the buoyancy per unit length along the length of the hull (Beck, 1989). A plot of the calm water bending moment is located in Figure (1) of Appendix B.

$$CWBM = \iint (mg - \varrho ga) dx$$
 (1)

where mg = weight per unit length of the ship

Q = density of displaced water

g = acceleration of gravity

a = cross sectional area of hull

D. DYNAMIC FORCES ON SHIP HULL

A ship at sea has six degrees of freedom in rigid body motion: heaving, pitching, rolling, surging, swaying and yawing, see Figure (5). When a ship interacts with sea waves, the primary types of forces that cause these motions are: inertial, hydrostatic, exciting and radiation forces.

When a ship moves in one or more degrees of freedom the change in inertia or acceleration results in forces on the ship hull. Static or hydrostatic forces, although by name

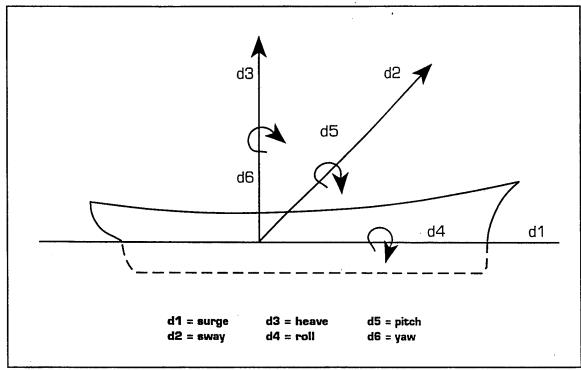


Figure 5. Six Degrees of Freedom in Rigid Body Motion, Lewis, 1989.

are expected to be unchanging, change as the ship and waves move. As more or less of the hull is submerged the distribution of buoyancy forces changes producing hydrostatic loading patterns on the hull. Exciting forces result from pressure that exists in the wave system and wave formation by the hull. The first portion of the exciting force is known as the Froude-Krylov exciting force. The Froude-Krylov exciting force is determined by integrating, over the submerged surface of the hull, the pressure that would exist if the ship was not affecting the wave system. The second component of the exciting force is due to diffraction of the waves by the hull and is known as the

diffraction exciting force. Radiation forces result from the water's resistance to the ship's oscillatory motion. As the ship oscillates vertically, waves are radiated into the fluid, the resulting force on the hull is referred to as the radiation force (Lewis, 1989).

E. PIERSON - MOSKOWITZ SPECTRUM

The spectral energy density is a convenient way of representing random, fully-developed, unidirectional sea waves. A useful approximation of this spectral energy density is the Pierson - Moskowitz (P-M) spectrum as defined by

$$S(\tilde{\omega}) = \alpha \frac{g^2}{\tilde{\omega}^5} \exp[-\beta [\frac{g}{h\tilde{\omega}^2}]^2]$$
 (3)

where $\alpha = 8.1 \times 10^3$

 $\beta = 0.032$

h = significant wave height, defined as the
 average of one-third of the highest values.

g = acceleration of gravity

Using input data the SHIPMO program generates a P-M spectrum based on wave height that is consistent with the sea state of interest and a frequency range that sufficiently bounds the spectrum. Table (2) list sea states and wave heights used in this study (Lewis, 1989). Hull bending moments predicted with these wave spectra and various heading and

speed combinations are displayed in Figures (2) through (76) in Appendix B.

Sea State	Wave Height (ft)
2	0.95
3	2.85
4	6.15
5	10.65
6	16.40

Table 2. Sea States and Wave Height, From Lewis, 1989.

When the sea waves are modeled statistically, a variety of parameters can be evaluated: mean, variance, mean amplitude, significant amplitude and average of the upper tenth highest amplitude. Since the stresses due to larger waves are of more importance, the significant wave height is a useful parameter as representative wave height for a particular sea state. Bending moments associated with the significant values are used as representative bending moments for a particular sea state. The significant wave height is defined as

$$H_{1/3} = \frac{2\int Ap(\zeta) d\zeta}{\int p(\zeta) d\zeta}$$
 (4)

where A = amplitude or 1/2 the wave height

 $p(\zeta)$ = normalized probability distribution function

 ζ = normalized wave amplitude.

The significant wave height be can numerically determined as

$$\overline{\eta_{1/3}} = 2.0\sigma \tag{5}$$

twice the root mean square of the spectrum.

The Significant wave height is a good estimate (which would err on the high side) for the most likely wave to be encountered, but a better estimate can be determined by considering the most probable extreme amplitude. Out of N waves the most probable extreme value is

$$A = [2m_o \ln(N)]^{1/2}$$
 (6)

where $m_o = total$ energy of the spectrum

N = number of statistically independent waves.

The Design Extreme value is defined as the wave amplitude that will be exceeded in N encounters by only one percent.

$$1 - P^{N} = 1 - [1 - \exp(-\frac{\zeta^{2}}{2})]^{N}$$
 (7)

$$P = e^{(1/N)\ln(0.99)} \cong -e^{-0.01/N} = 1 - \frac{0.01}{N}$$
 (8)

$$A = (2m_0 \ln(\frac{N}{0.01}))^2$$
 (9)

This estimate of amplitude is the Design Extreme amplitude and can be made more useful by comparing it with the Significant wave height, giving the ratio

$$\frac{Design \ Extreme}{Significant} = \left(\frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{N}{0.01}\right) \tag{10}$$

For N = 100, the ratio has a value of 2.15.

Completely analogous expressions can be used for the bending moments. The only difference is that we need to use the bending moment spectrum, S_{BM} , instead of the wave spectrum, S. For linear systems, the two spectra are related by

$$S_{BM} = |RAO_{BM}(\tilde{\omega})|^2 S(\tilde{\omega})$$
 (11)

where RAO_{BM} is the Response Amplitude Operator for the bending moment, defined as the bending moment for a unit amplitude regular sinusoidal wave. For the spectrum of the seaway $S(\varpi)$, we use long-crested, fully-developed seas modeled by the Pierson - Moskowitz spectrum defined previously (Papoulias, 1993).

F. BEAM THEORY FOR THE SHIP HULL

The longitudinally continuous structural members of the hull of a ship can be treated as a large girder or beam.

This is commonly referred to as the "hull girder" (Muckle, 1989). The most significant stress imposed on this girder is due to the vertical plane bending moment resulting from the weight distribution and sea loads. The hull girder can be analyzed with simple beam theory governed by

$$\sigma = \frac{MC}{I} \tag{12}$$

where M =bending moment

c = distance between the neutral axis and the
 point of interest on the beam's cross-section

I = moment of inertia for the cross-section

The longitudinal bending stress is a result of the combination of the calm water bending moment and the dynamic bending moment represented by the design extreme value. The structural members of the hull are made with 5083 - H32 Aluminum. The yield strength of the 5083 - H32 alloy is 36 kpsi (ASM, 1979). A factor of safety of 2.0 was applied to the yield strength to account for various stress concentration factors that might occur in the structure resulting in a limiting stress of 18 kpsi. The longitudinal

stress was calculated using the limiting cross section near frame 18 (the section modulus information for the hull at frame 18 is in Appendix C) and is graphically displayed in the form of operability limits in Figures 77 to 83 of Appendix B. These figures represent the acceptable sea state and heading combinations for a given speed with respect to the endurance limit of the hull material. Data for these plots are located in Appendix D.

III. RESULTS

A. OVERVIEW

In order to investigate the stress that the mid section of the SLICE hull was likely to experience, the model was subjected to a variety of sea states at different headings and speeds. After a review of preliminary data, the critical or limiting area of the hull was identified based on the magnitude of the bending moment and the section modulus. The complete bending moment data was used to evaluate the relationships between the bending moment and speed, heading and sea state. The hull cross section near frame 18 was determined to be the limiting cross section. This area is located just aft of the forward pod. This area consistently experiences some of the largest bending moments and also had the smallest section modulus. The cross sectional properties of this area derived in Appendix C. Once the limiting cross section was identified, a stress limit with a combination of speed, heading and sea state was used to evaluate the SLICE hull's operability in the sea way environment. The results reported in this study are for speeds 10 to 30 kts, sea states 2 through 6 and relative headings of the wave from following seas to head seas (0 to 180 degrees). Figure (6) shows wave angle headings.

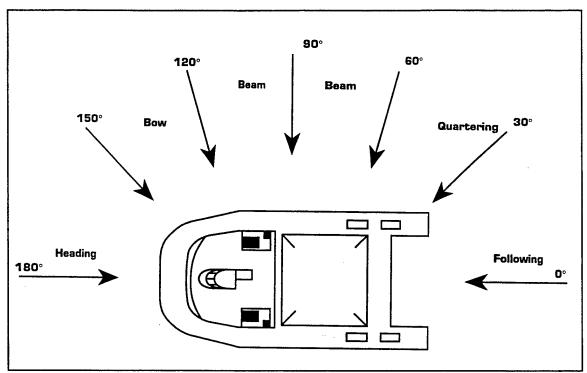


Figure 6. Wave Heading Angles, After Lewis, 1989 and LMSC, 1994.

B. BENDING MOMENT AND SEA STATE RELATIONSHIP

The bending moment experienced by the hull directly relates to the sea state of the seaway environment. For a given heading and speed the largest bending moment corresponded to the greatest sea state. This trend can be seen in Figures 2 to 26; each plot depicts a family of sea state curves for sea states 2 through 6 for each heading and speed combination. As sea state increases, the dominant wave environment characteristic that increases is wave height. The increase in bending moment is probably related to these larger waves which will result in increased force from inertial loads, wave diffraction and wave radiation.

Increased vertical plane motion that is predicted to increase with sea state is also suspected to contribute to this increased bending moment (Lesh, 1995).

C. BENDING MOMENT AND SPEED RELATIONSHIP

The bending moment experienced by the hull was not significantly affected by the speed of the ship in sea states 2 and 3. For all combinations of speed and heading there is no significant change (see Figures 27 though 36 in Appendix B). Above sea state 3, speeds of 10 and 30 knots tend to result in bending moments larger then the other speeds. At sea states 5 and 6 the combination of seas (in the range from 135 to 180 degrees), and the changes in speed result in proportionally larger changes in bending moment (see Figures 45, 46, 50 and 51 in Appendix B).

D. BENDING MOMENT AND HEADING RELATIONSHIP

The bending moment experienced by the hull is directly related to the heading of the ship. For sea states 2 and 3 relative changes in heading between the waves and the hull do not affect the bending moment on the hull. Above sea state 3, heading has a direct impact on the hull bending moment. Most notable is the tendency for head seas to produce larger bending moments than oblique seas. An unexpected prediction for following seas is noted for sea states 3 through 6. Following seas are predicted to produce bending moments that are larger than those for head sea at

the same speed and sea state. This occurs at 20 and 30 kts in sea state 3 and 4, and at 10 kts in sea state 5 and 6 (see Figures 59, 61, 64, 66, 67 and 72 in Appendix B). When the ship is in sea state 6 head and bow seas produce dominant bending moments (see Figures 72 through 76 in Appendix B). This behavior is probably due to a combination of wave height, period, ship speed and heave.

E. OPERABILITY BASED ON STRESS LIMITATIONS

A ship at sea often "rides best" with the seas at a particular relative heading. This human sensing of a comfortable ride with respect to a ship's heading and speed for a given sea state can easily be likened to the acceptable headings and speeds in sea states for stress limitations. Operability can be thought of as the ratio of acceptable heading and sea state combinations to the total possible heading and sea state combinations. Figures 77 to 82 in Appendix B are graphical displays of headings and sea states based on acceptable hull stresses at speeds 10 to 30 kts. On the operability diagrams, sea states are plotted along the radius and heading or wave angle plotted from 0 to The results of this portion of the study indicate that the ship should be able to withstand seas up to sea state 6 on the beam and aft at all speeds between 10 and 30 kts. At 10 kts the limiting wave headings are 45 degrees off the port and starboard bows (135 and 225

degrees) which result in stress that limits sea state to sea state 4 and 5. Between 15 kts and 25 kts operability improves. At 15 kts the only limiting headings are 60 degrees off of the port and starboard bows with a sea state 5 limit. As speed increases to 20 kts, seas +/- 30 degrees on the bow also result in a sea state 4 and 5 limit. At 25 kts operability is limited to sea state 5 for seas on the head and at 60 degrees off of the head. As speed increases to 30 kts seas on the head and up to 15 degrees off of the limit operability to sea state 5. The operability index of the SLICE at a speed for seas up through sea state 6 is graphically represented on a sea state-heading plot as the ratio of the area inside the stress limit curve to the area of a circle with radius of sea state 6 (which would indicate complete operability at sea state 6). Figure (82) in Appendix B shows the normalized operability index of the SLICE based of stress limitations for speeds of 10 to 30 kts for sea state 6. For sea states up to sea state 6 the operability is between 87 and 97.5 percent. Operability is best over the speed of range of 13 to 26 kts and then drops off slightly above and below this range. Figure (83) shows a family of speed curves for operability. Over the entire speed range for all heading and sea state combinations the operability index is nearly 80 percent. Based on these operability trends a good rule of thumb for the mariner is

to keep the heavy seas on the beam or abaft the beam when traveling at 20 kts and below. At higher speeds, the seas can be taken closer to the head.

IV. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

A. CONCLUSIONS

This study has shown a method by which the dynamic bending moment and operability of a ship design can be evaluated based on sea state, heading and speed. Based solely on blueprint data and expected operating conditions, Strip Theory can be used to predict some important characteristics of the ship's response in the seaway environment. Based on the criteria employed in this study, the operability of the SLICE hull is shown to be limited to less than sea state 6 when seas are on the bow or head. limiting factor was excessive stress at the hull's weakest The SLICE hull is predicted to experience fairly consistent dynamic bending in sea states below sea state 4 regardless of heading or speed. The dynamic bending moment developed in the SLICE hull is most significantly affected by the sea state or wave height in the seaway. cases, the dynamic bending moment increases as the characteristic wave height increases. As the ship increases speed the dynamic bending moment increases. For the most part there is a direct correlation between speed and dynamic bending, but at a speed as low as 10 kts in a particular sea state the dynamic bending moment can be surprisingly large. The orientation between the hull and the incident wave has

the most significant effect when the heading results in head or following seas.

The operability study and dynamic bending analysis predicts that excessive stress will occur in the hull when it is subjected to the seaway environments modeled. the yield strength of the material is essentially fixed, the option of designing to allow for reduced factors of safety would allow operability to be increased to 100 percent for seas up to and including seas state 6. Without design changes, the operation of the SLICE in heavy seas should be limited so as to keep the seas on the beam or better yet abaft the beam. In addition to these options, reduction in vertical plane motion may reduce the magnitude of dynamic bending moment experienced. The use of both active and passive control surfaces could be employed to reduce some of the hull's undesirable dynamic motions and there by reducing undesirable dynamic bending stresses characteristics.

B. RECOMMENDATIONS

The following is a list of recommendations for further research on the SLICE hull configuration:

Strip Theory utilizes two dimensional potential theory for the solution of a hydrodynamic problem and provides motion, shear distributions and bending moment distributions information about the hull in a sea wave environment.

Addition calculations are required to evaluate structural stress due to bending and shear. A more useful solution could be obtained through finite element modeling. Actually modeling the forces experienced by the ship as it translates and rotates in six degrees of freedom in the seaway could produce a more accurate stress picture for design and analysis.

Investigate the potential for reduction in the dynamic bending stress through the active and passive control of the hull's motion in response to the seaway. A controls study could be used to determine the relationship between the ship's motion responses, controls surface orientation and operation and resultant dynamic bending stresses.

Information gained from this type of study could be employed to improve the ship's seakeeping characteristics and reduce the dynamic bending experienced by the hull.

APPENDIX A. SHIPMO.BM INPUT FILE

This sample input file of SHIPMO.IN is for running irregular wave analysis on the SLICE hull form. Appendix A of the SHIPMO.BM User's Manual provides detailed line content description and format (Beck, 1989).

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APPENDIX B. DYNAMIC BENDING MOMENT PLOTS

The following plots are presented as group to make comparison between that plots as easy as possible and to minimize the disruption to chapters II through IV. The first figure is the calm water bending moment. Figures 2 through 26 are plots of the dynamic bending moments arranged as families of sea states for all headings and speeds. Figures 27 through 51 are plots of the dynamic bending moments arranged as families of speeds for all headings and sea states. Figures 52 through 76 are plots of the dynamic bending moments arranged as families of headings for all speeds and sea states. Figures 77 through 81 are plots of operability at speeds of 10 to 30 kts. Figure (82) is a plot of operability over the speed range of 10 to 30 kts and Figure (83) is a plot of operability for a family of speeds.

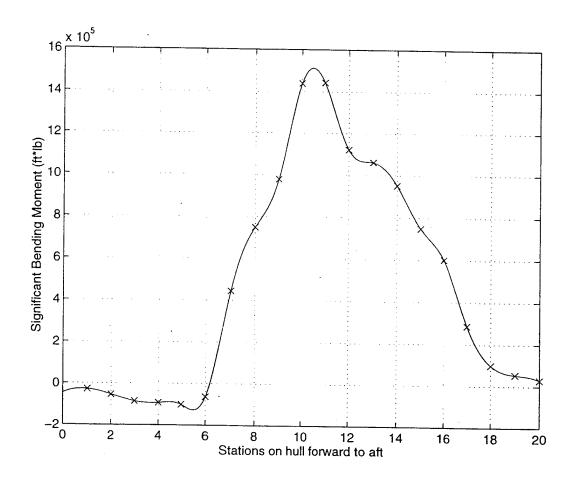


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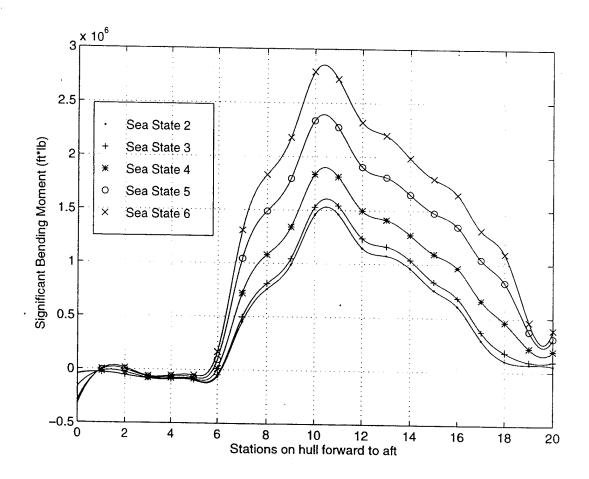


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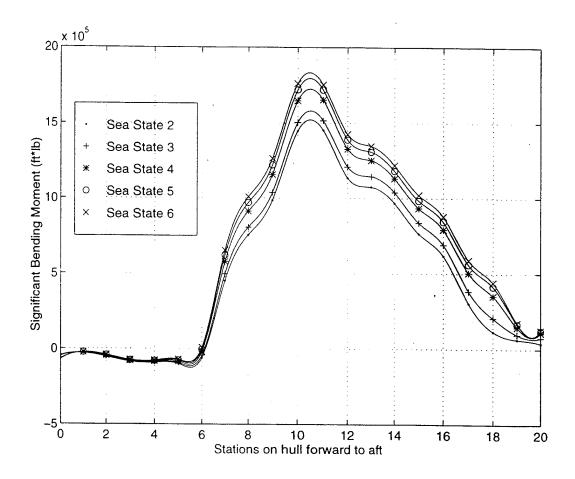


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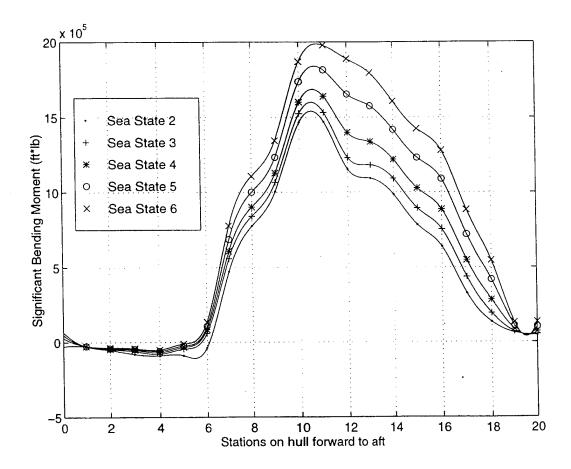


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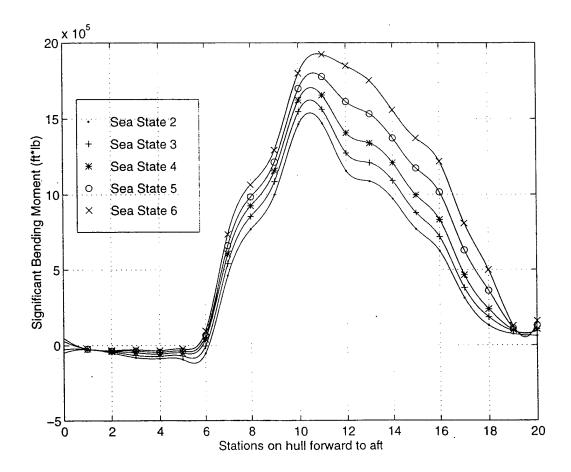


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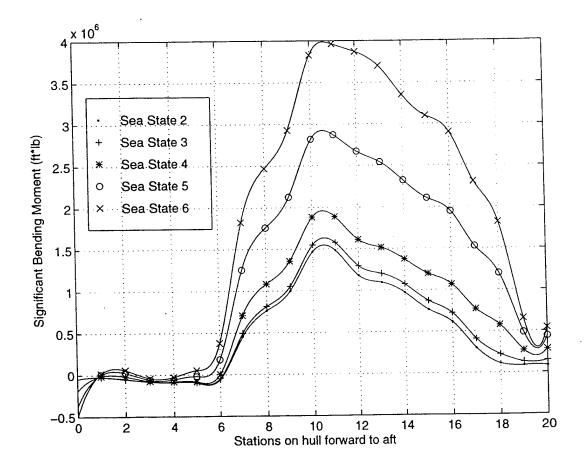


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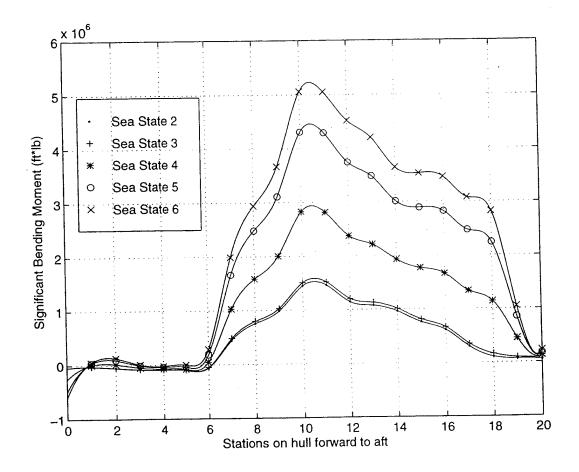


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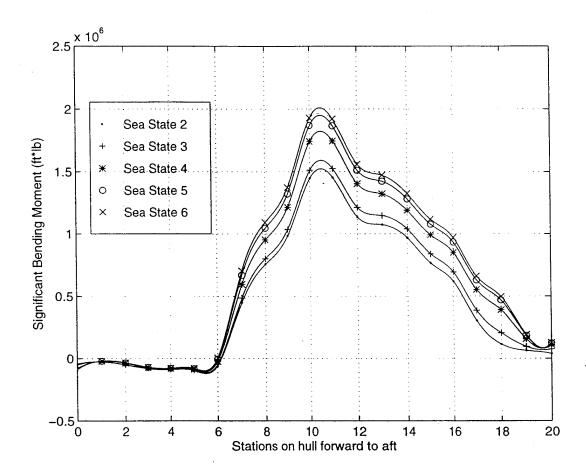


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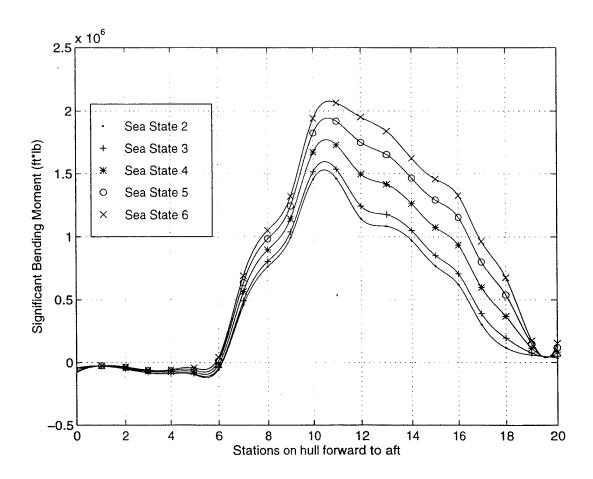


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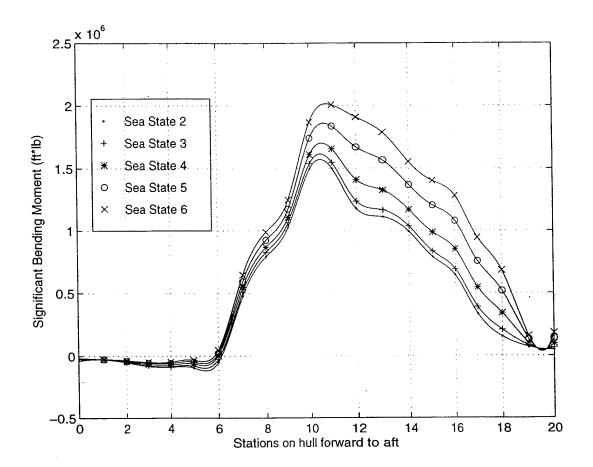


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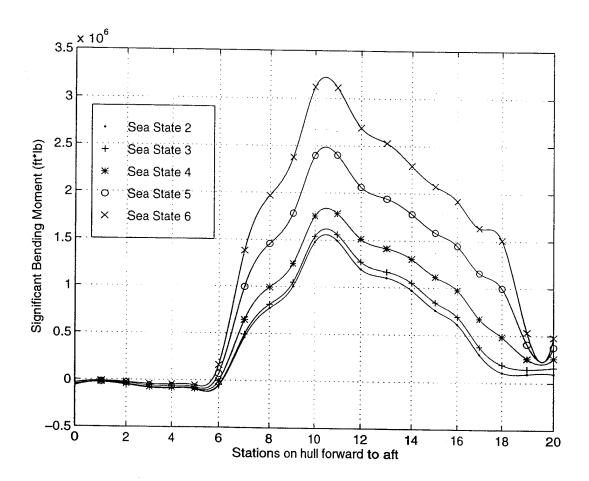


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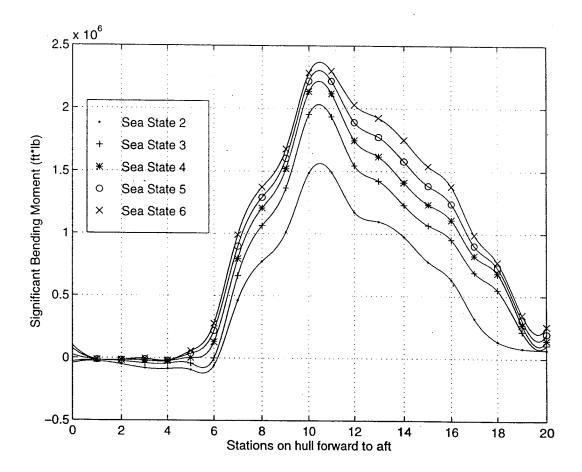


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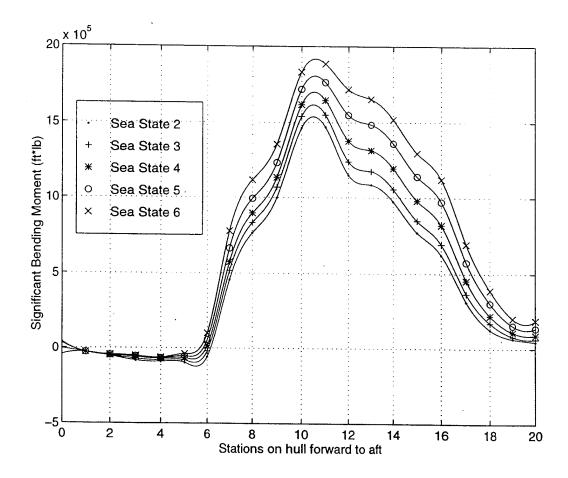


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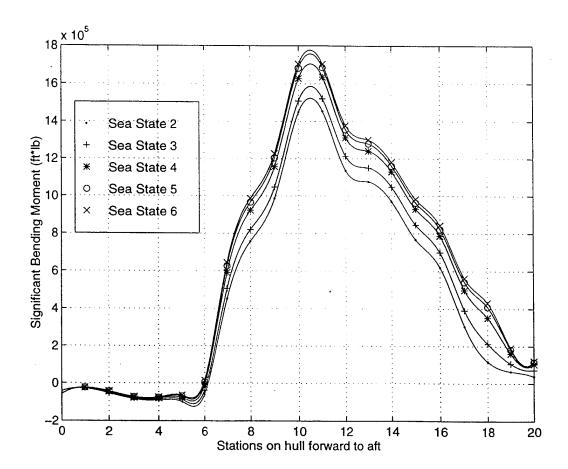


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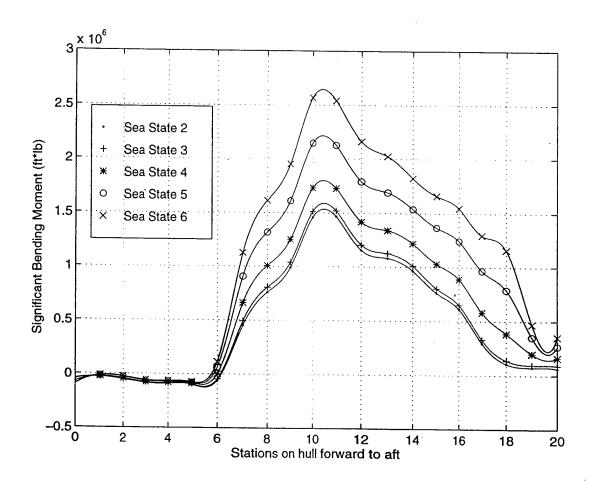


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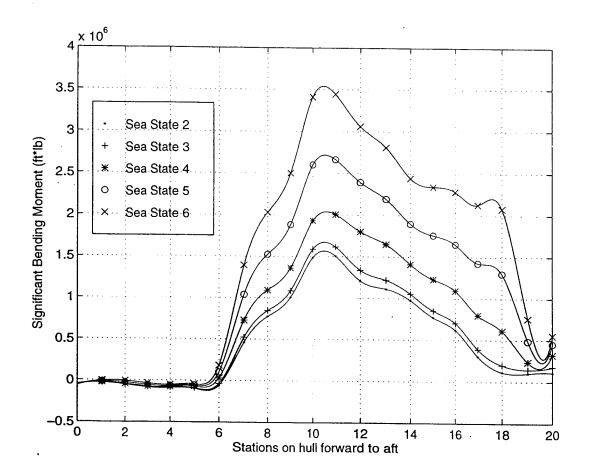


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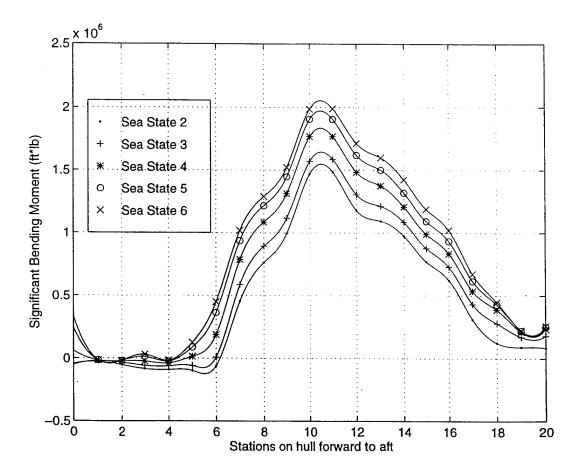


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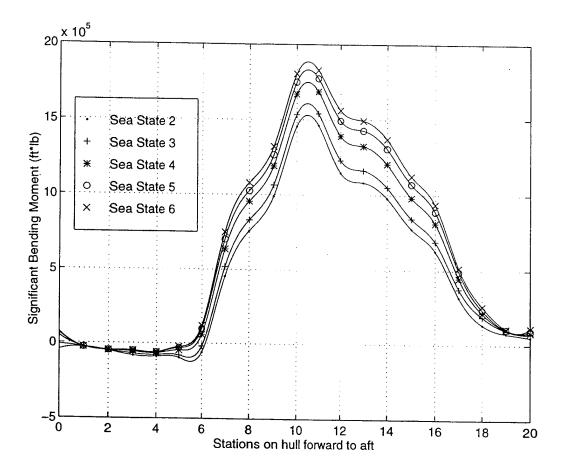


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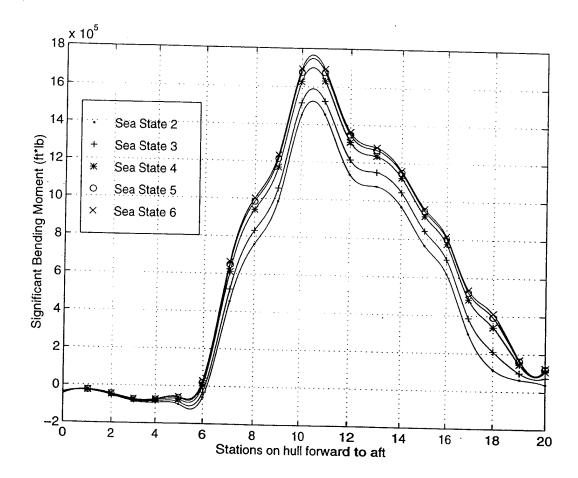


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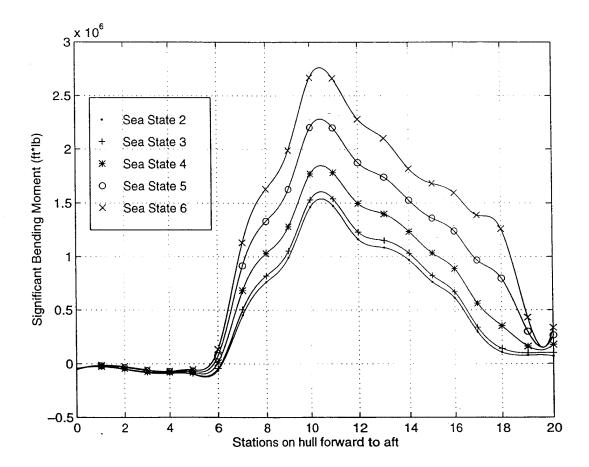


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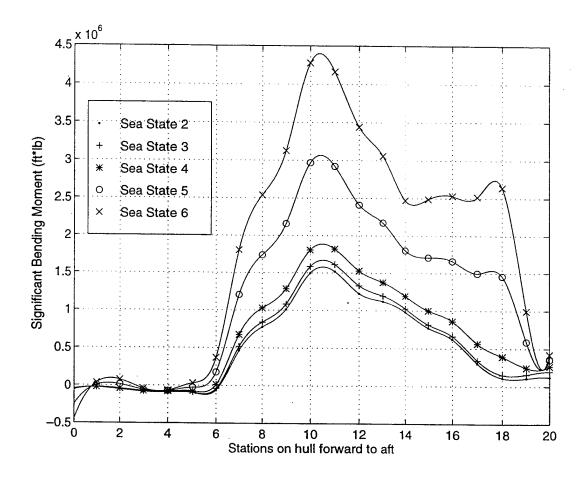


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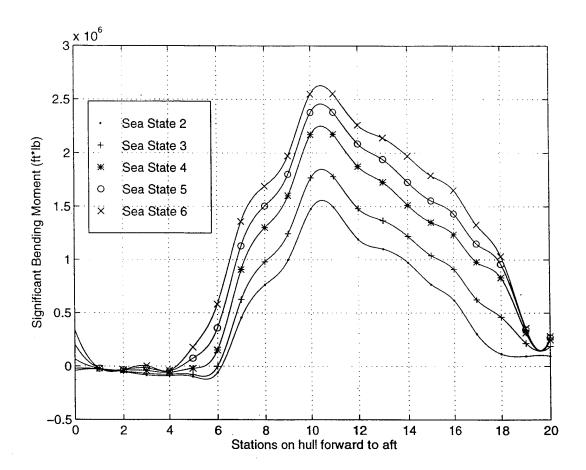


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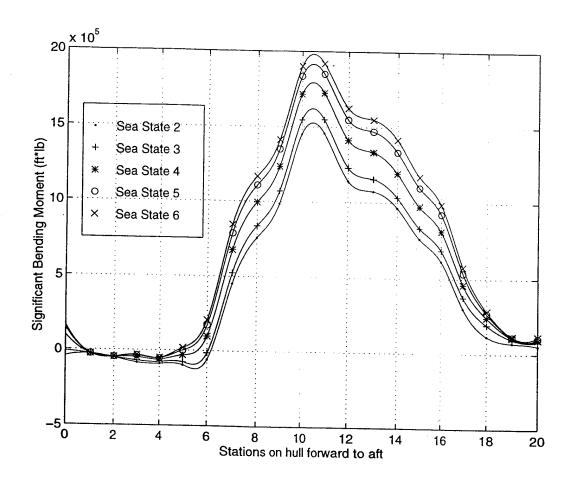


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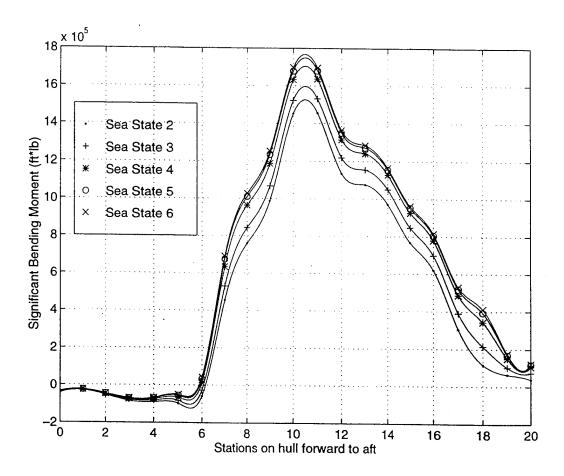


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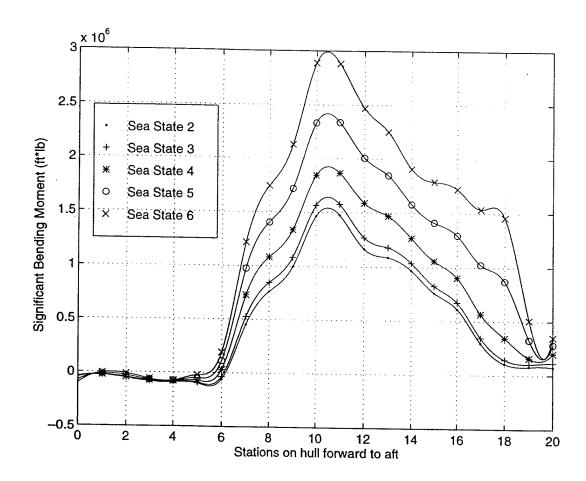


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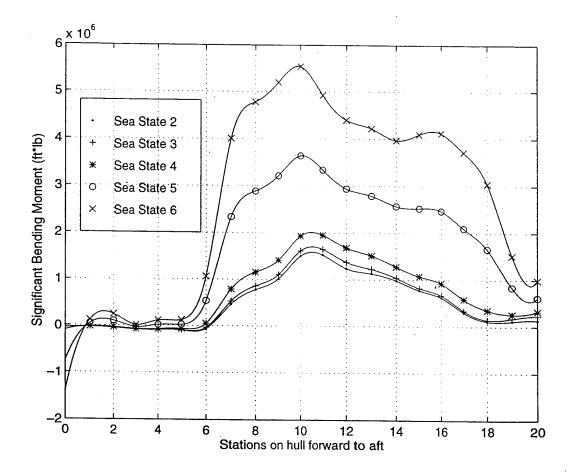


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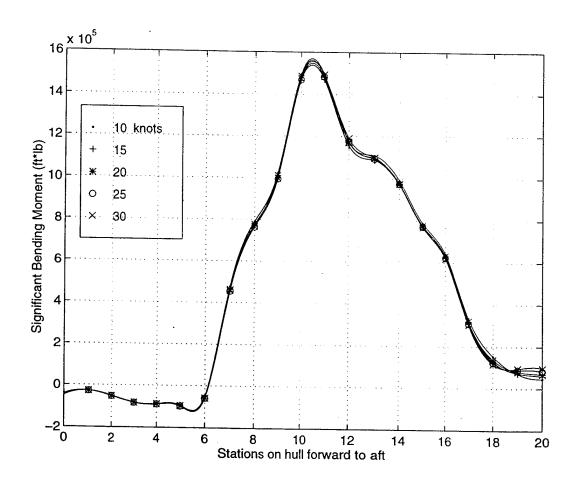


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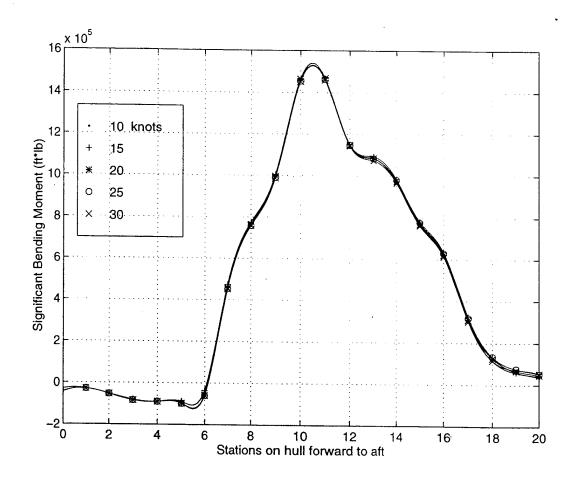


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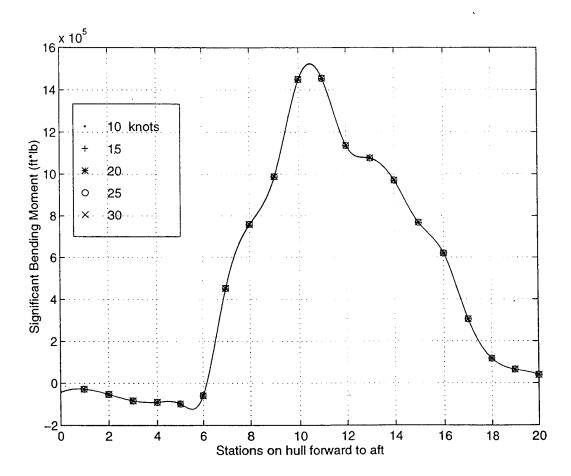


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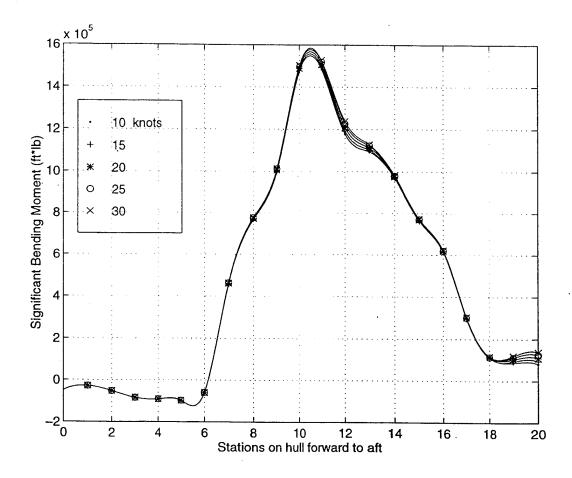


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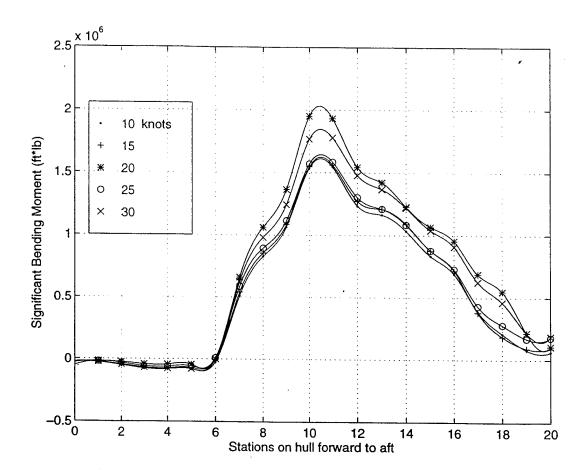


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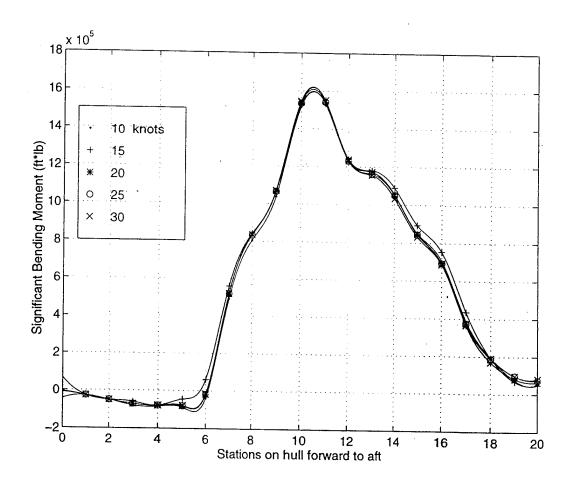


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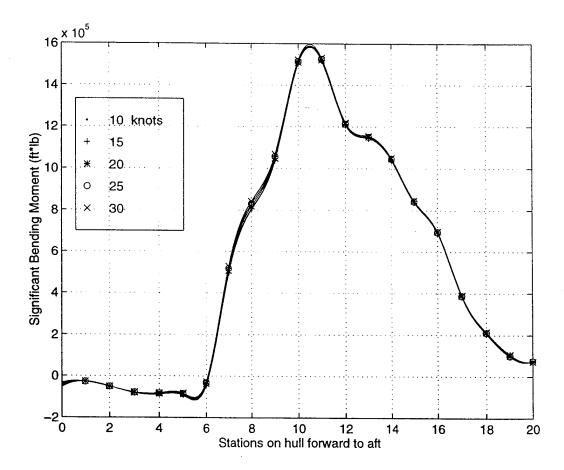


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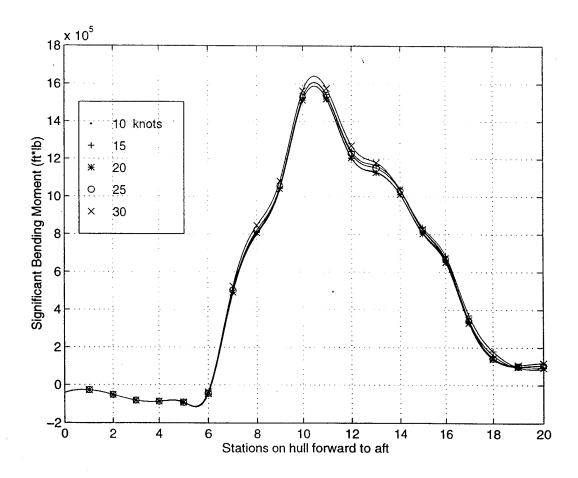


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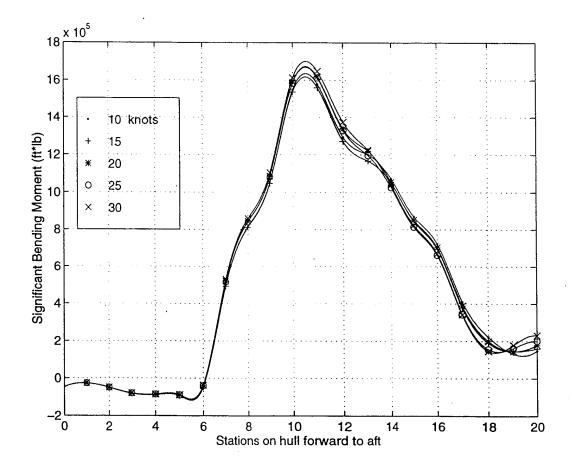


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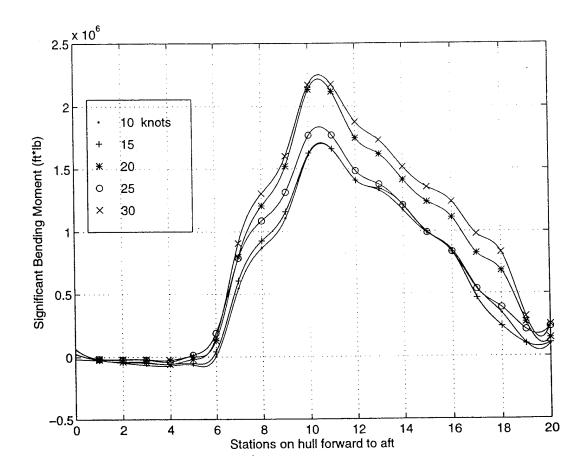


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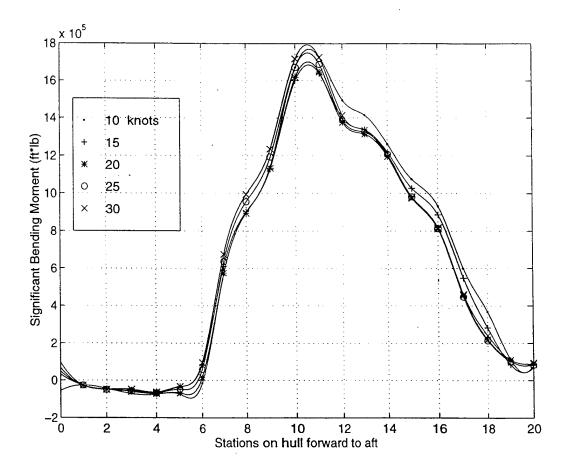


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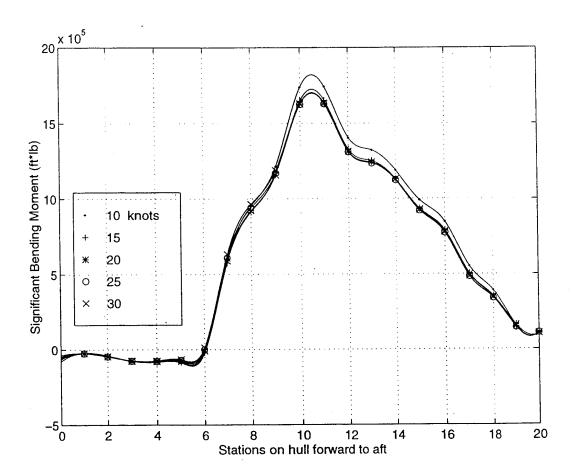


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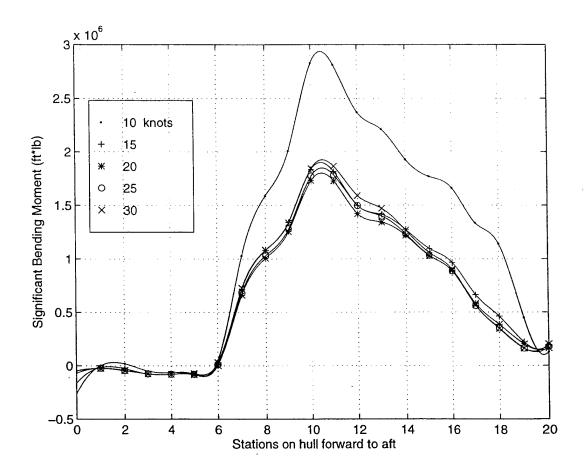


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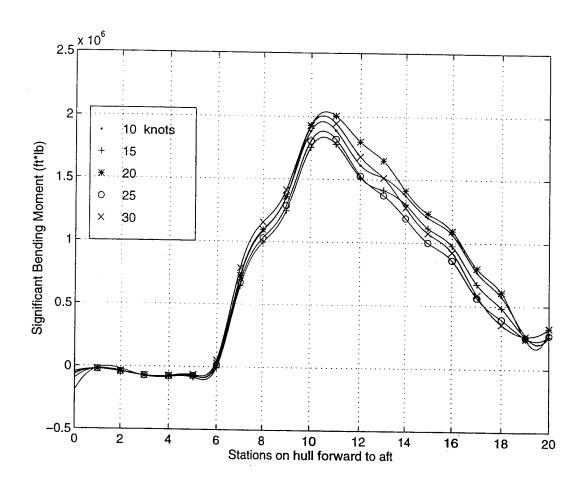


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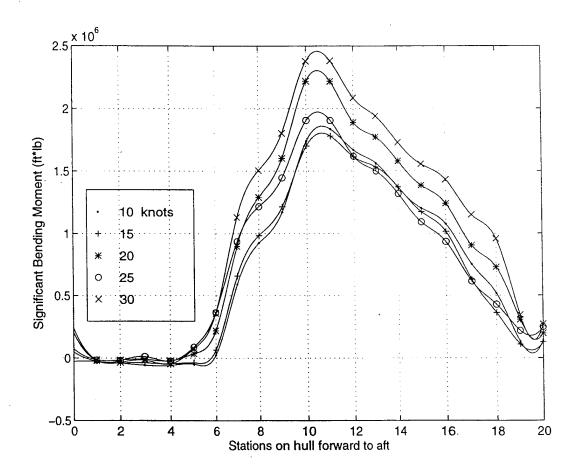


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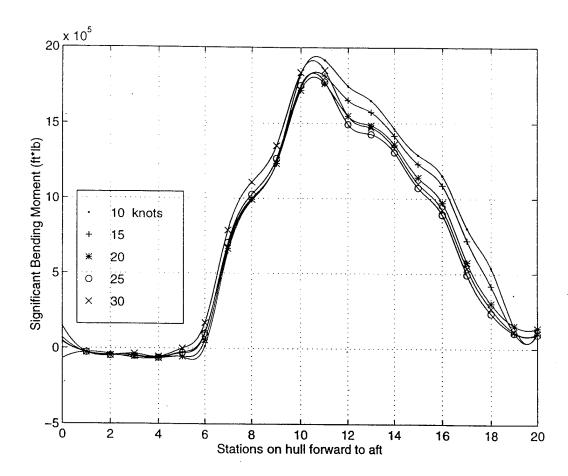


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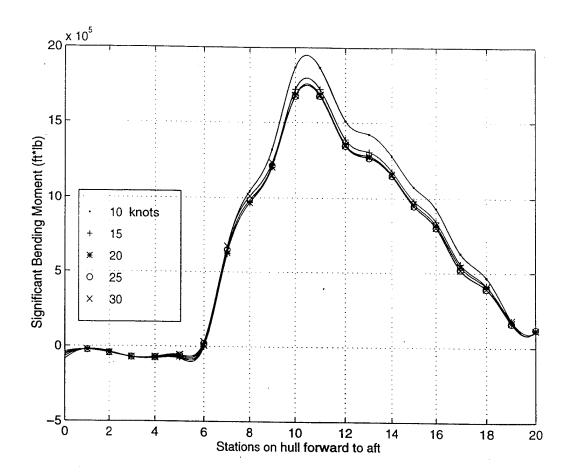


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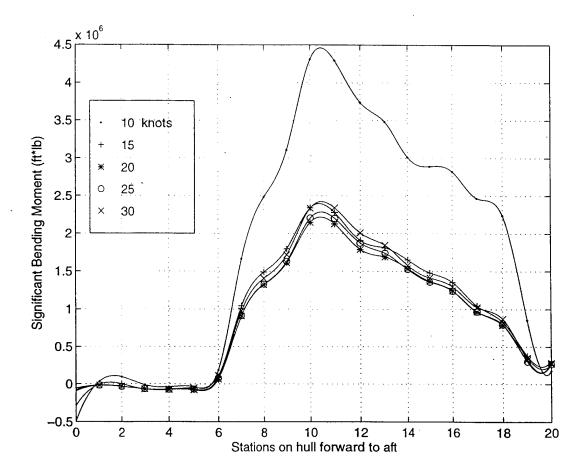


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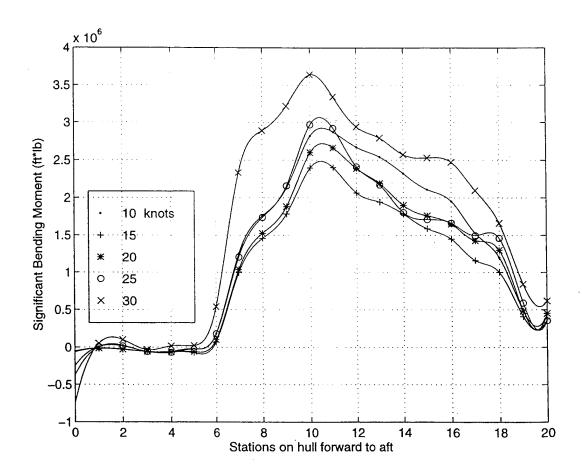


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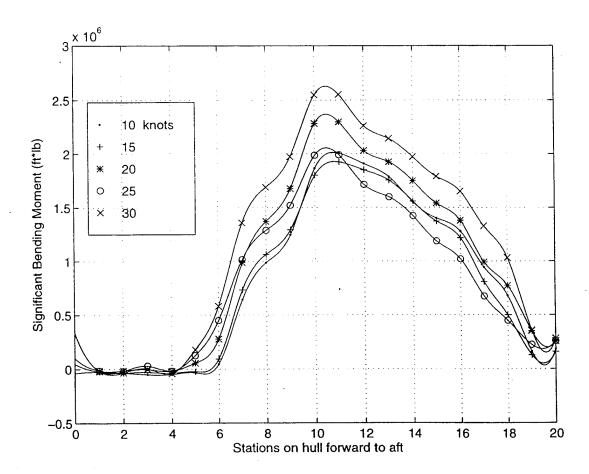


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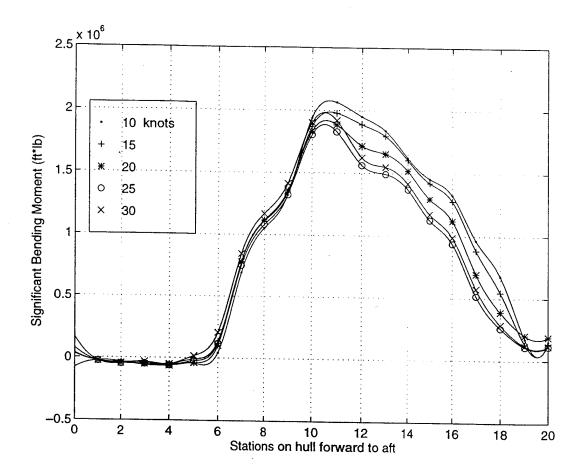


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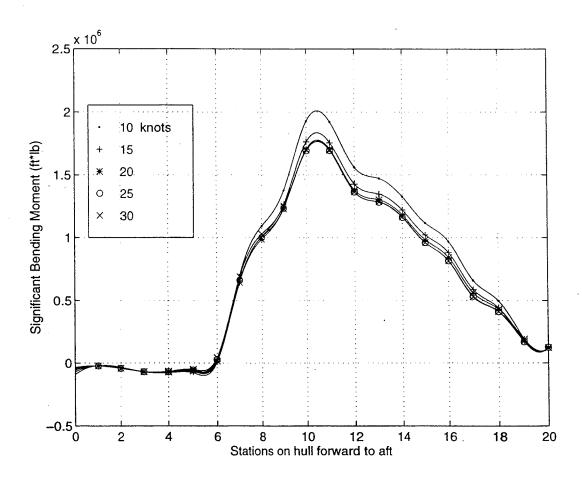


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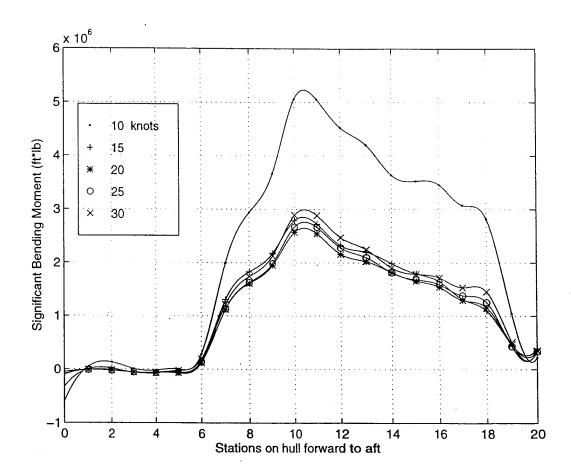


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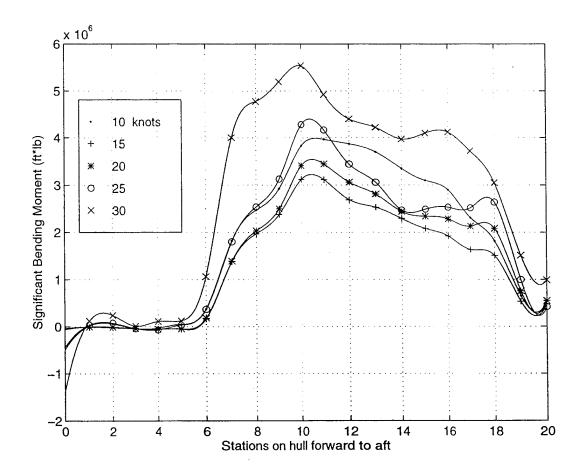


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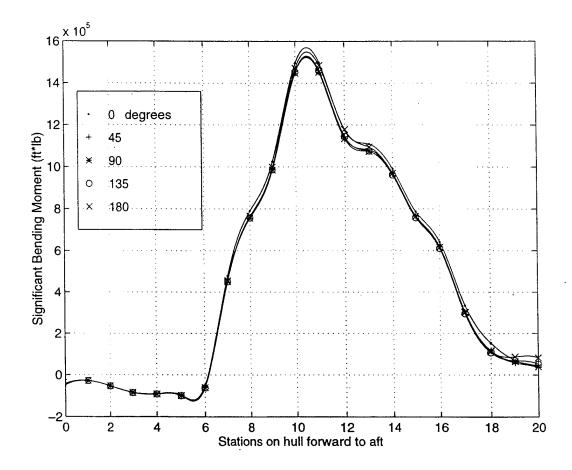


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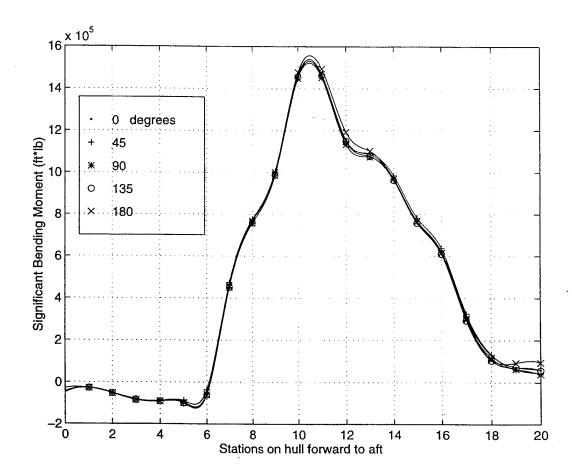


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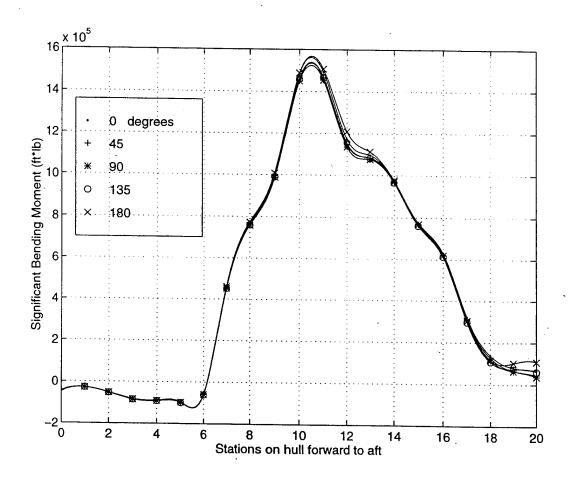


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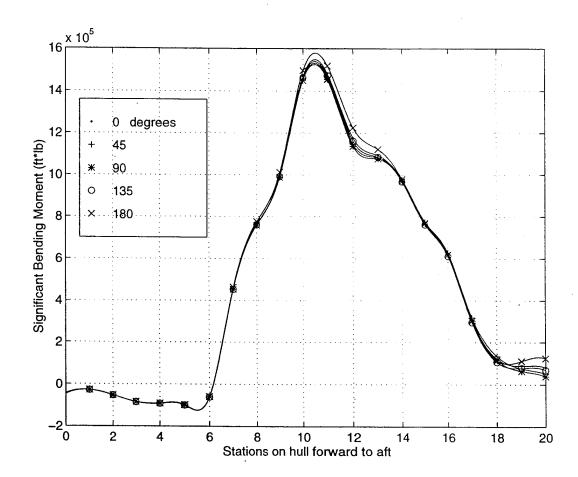


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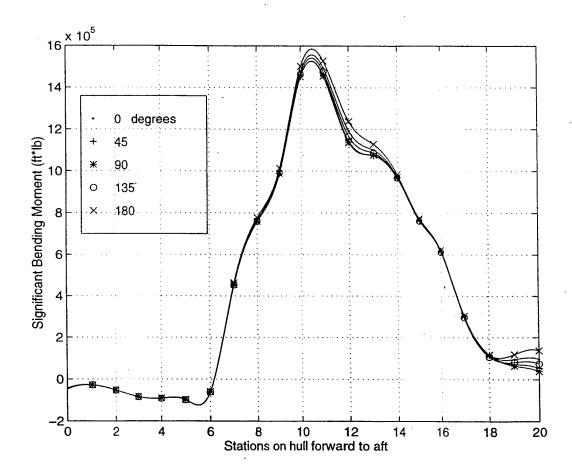


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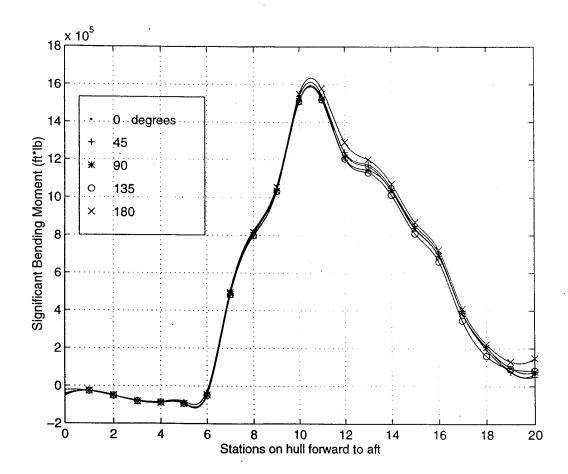


Figure (57). Dynamic Bending Moments for Sea State 3 and 10 Knots.

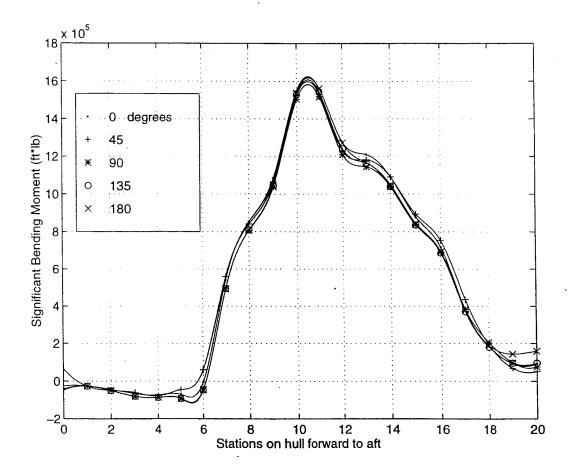


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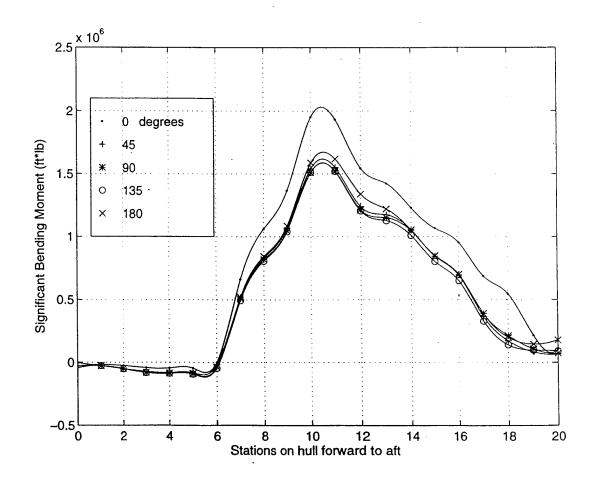


Figure (59). Dynamic Bending Moments for Sea State 3 and 20 $\,$ Knots.

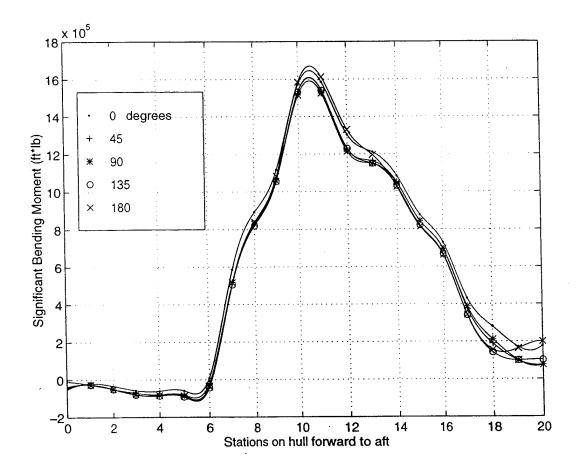


Figure (60). Dynamic Bending Moments for Sea State 3 and 25 $\,$ Knots.

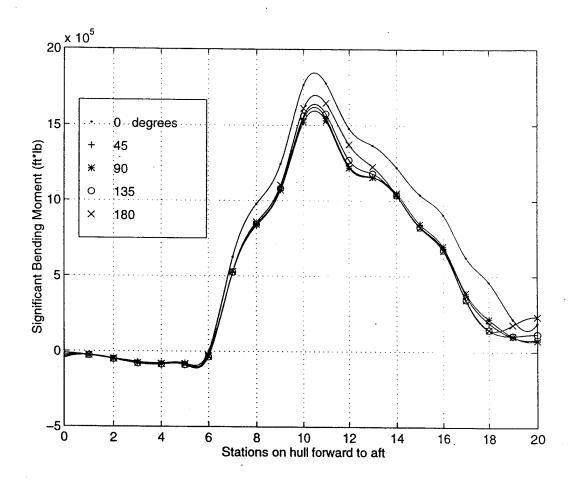


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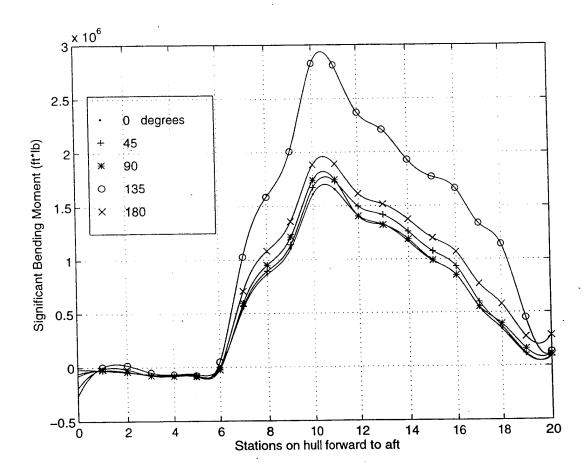


Figure (62). Dynamic Bending Moments for Sea State 4 and 10 Knots.

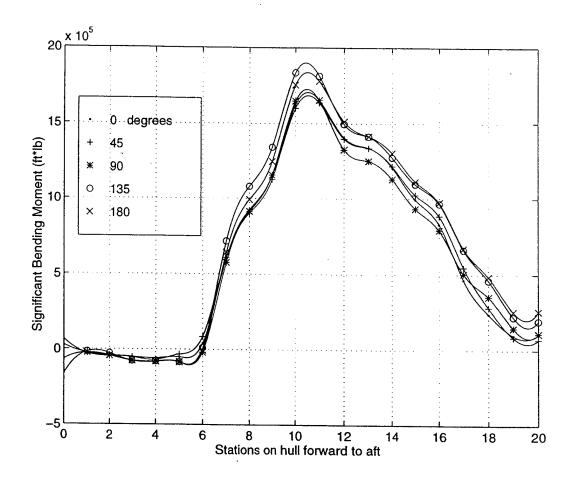


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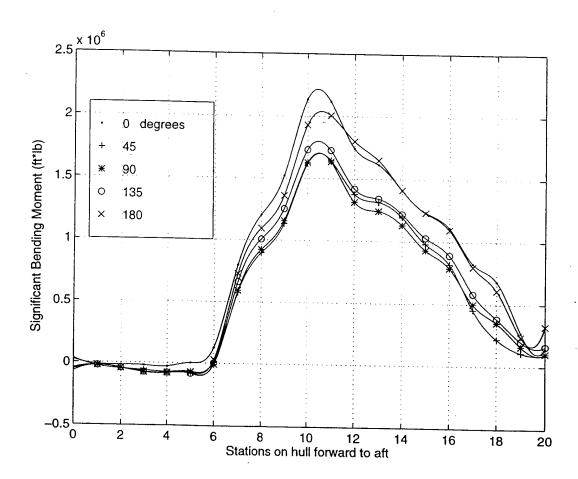


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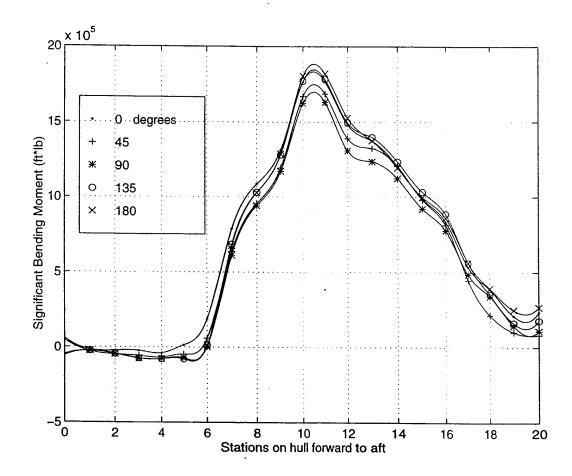


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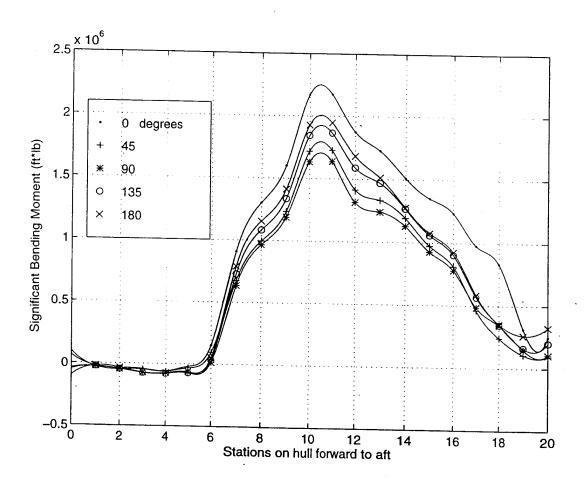


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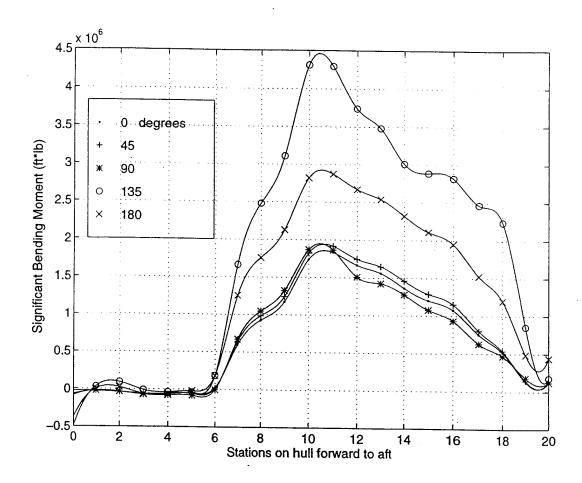


Figure (67). Dynamic Bending Moments for Sea State 5 and 10 $$\operatorname{Knots}.$$

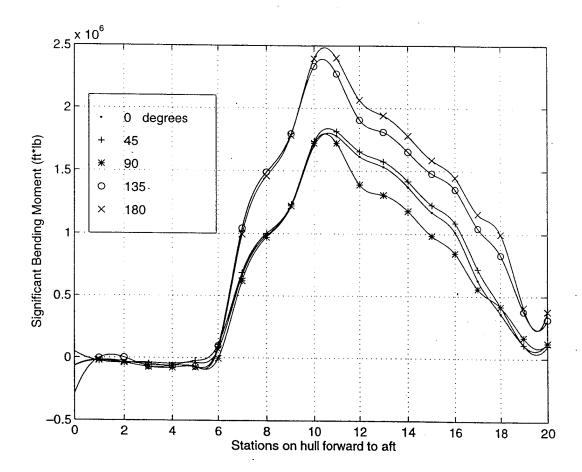


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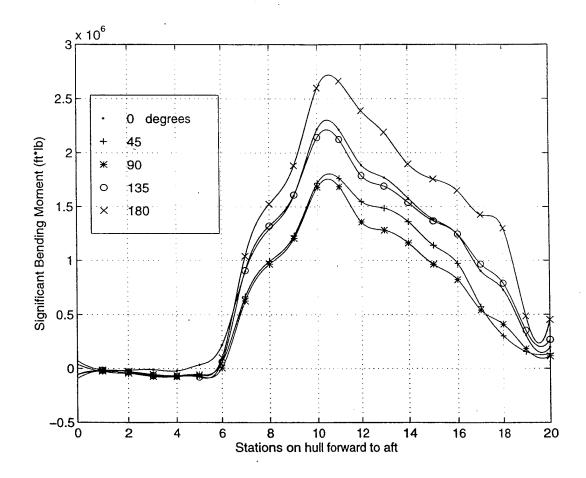


Figure (69). Dynamic Bending Moments for Sea State 5 and 20 Knots.

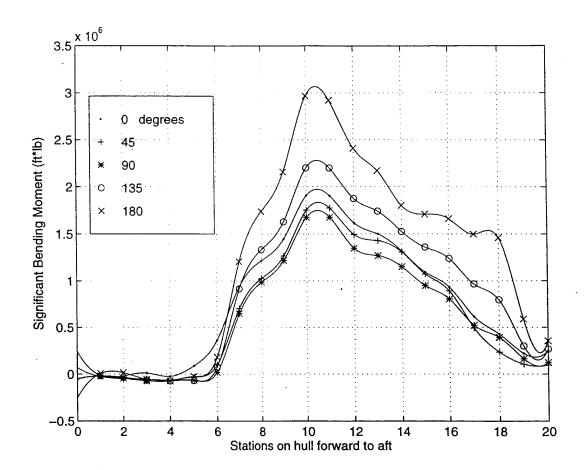


Figure (70). Dynamic Bending Moments for Sea State 5 and 25 $$\operatorname{Knots}$.$

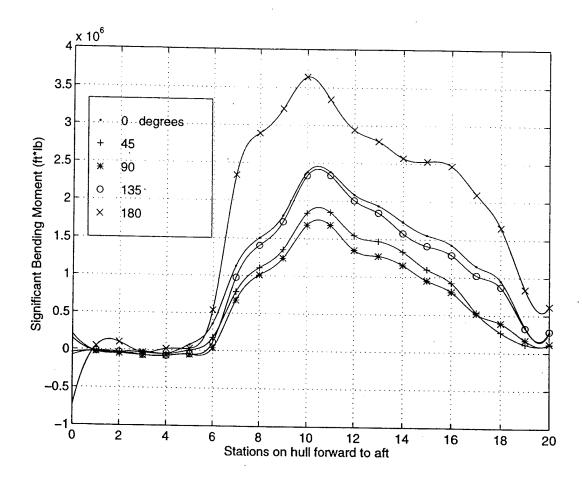


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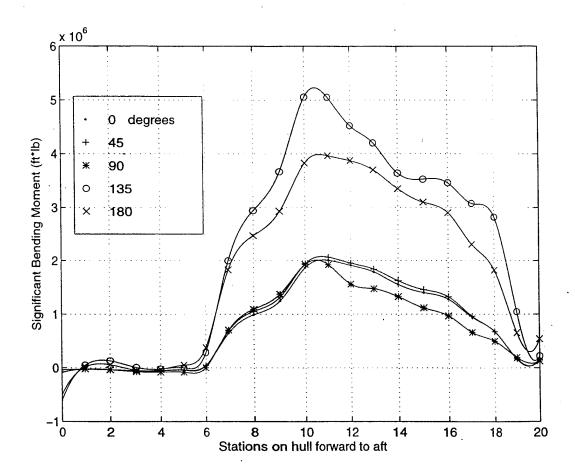


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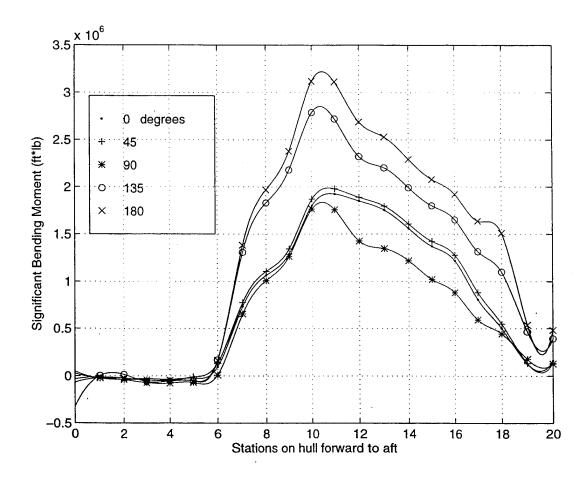


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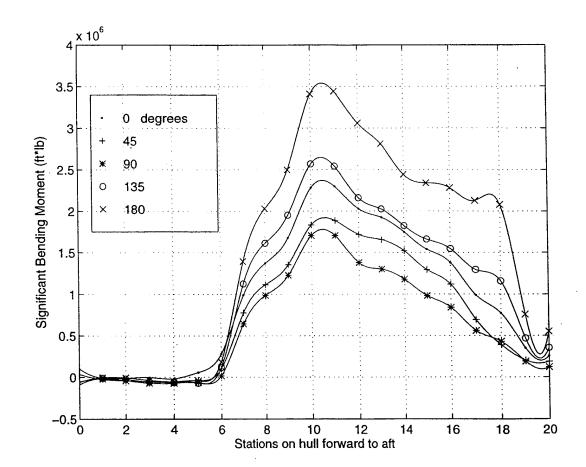


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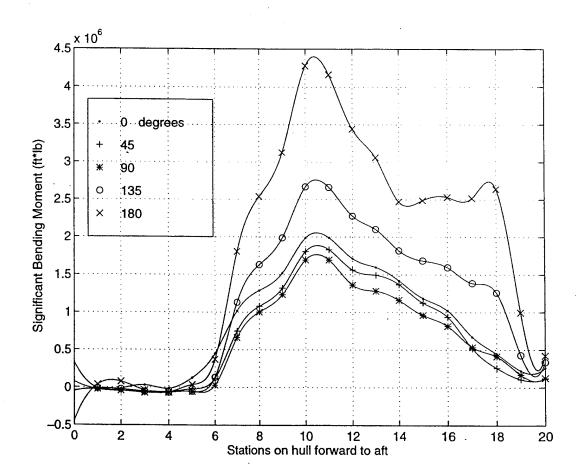


Figure (75). Dynamic Bending Moments for Sea State 6 and 25 $\,$ Knots.

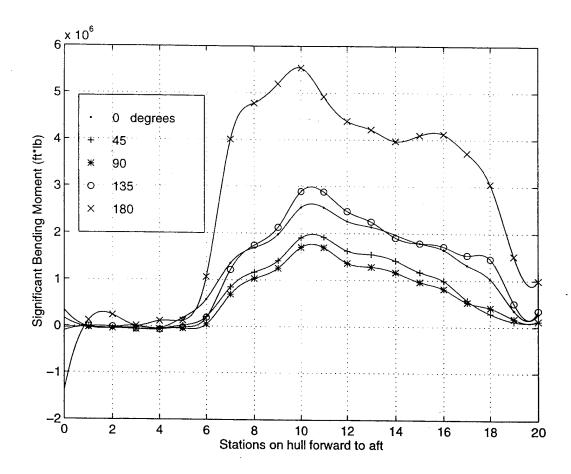


Figure (76). Dynamic Bending Moments for Sea State 6 and 30 Knots.

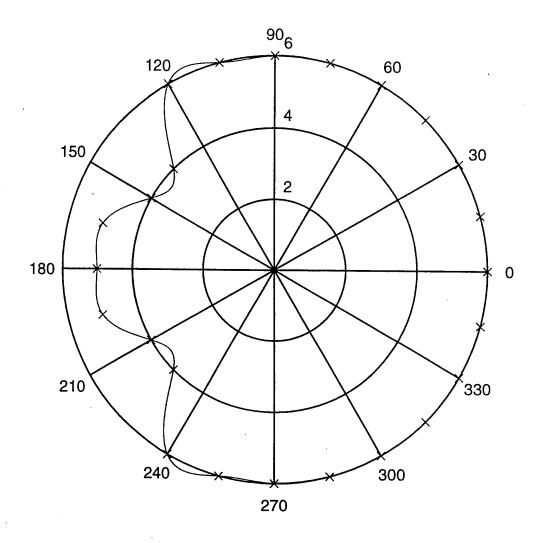


Figure (77). Operability at 10 kts, Sea State Versus Heading.

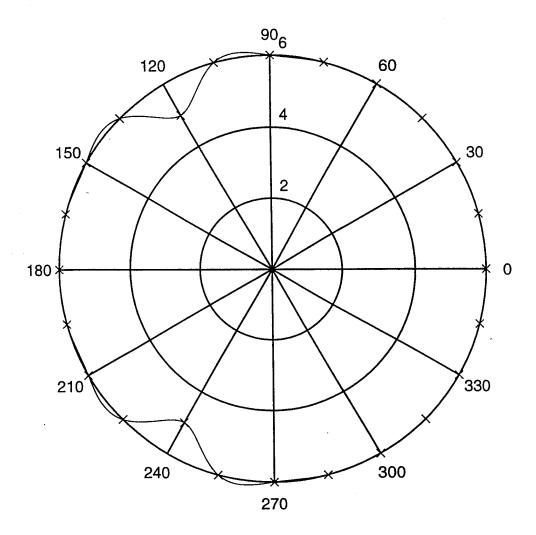


Figure (78). Operability at 15 kts, Sea State Versus Heading.

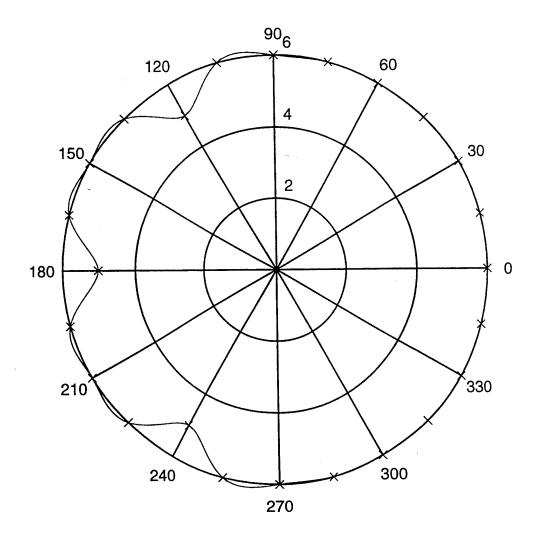


Figure (79). Operability at 20 kts, Sea State Versus Heading.

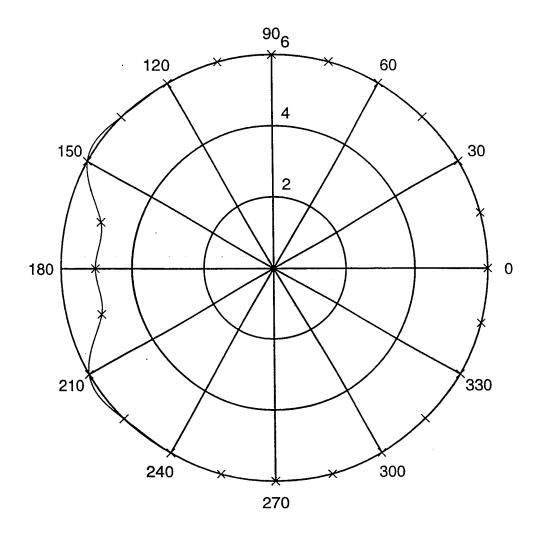
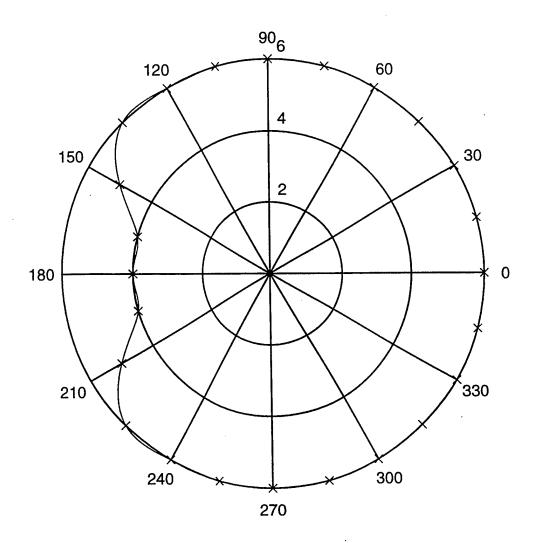


Figure (80). Operability at 25 kts, Sea State Versus Heading.



Operability at 30 kts, Sea State Versus Heading.

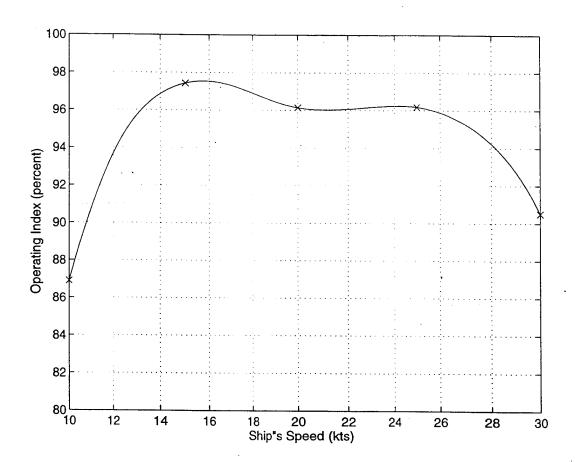


Figure (82). Normalized Operability, Sea State Versus Heading.

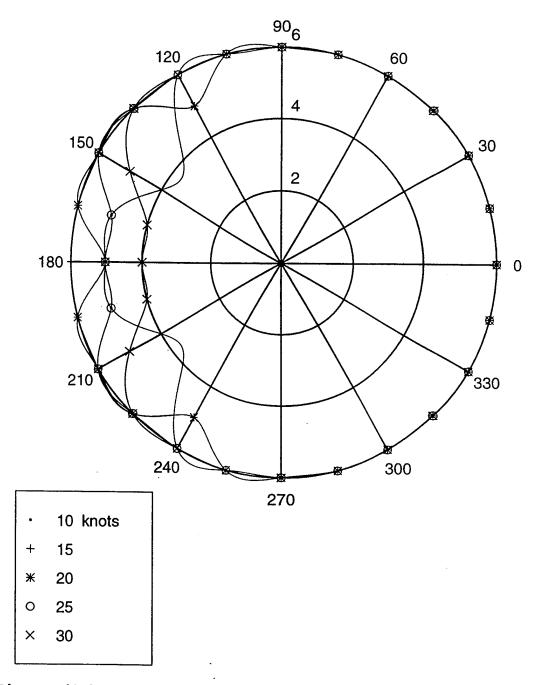


Figure (83). Operability for Family of Speeds, Sea State Versus Heading.

APPENDIX C. CROSS SECTIONAL PROPERTIES CALCULATIONS

Α.

INTRODUCTION

The limiting cross section of the SLICE hull is characterized by two properties a relatively large bending moment and a small second area moment or moment of inertia. Based on these aspects the area near frame 18 or station 10 was identified as the limiting cross section of the hull. Figure (1) shows views of the SLICE with the limiting cross section marked. Figure (2) shows a view of the limiting cross section in the transverse plane. The cross section is made up of two pentagram shapes spaced 31 feet apart. The structural plates are 0.25 in thick. Figure (3) is an enlarged view of one side of the cross section, the three stiffeners shown are bulb plate stiffeners. Equations for the second moment of inertial and the parallel axis theorem are used to determine the half section properties which is then doubled for the total second moment of inertia. for these calculations are displayed in Table (1). The end results of the calculations is a second moment of inertial $I_{xx} = 201,312 \text{ in}^4$ and the neutral axis is located 38.4 in below plate number 1 or the main deck.

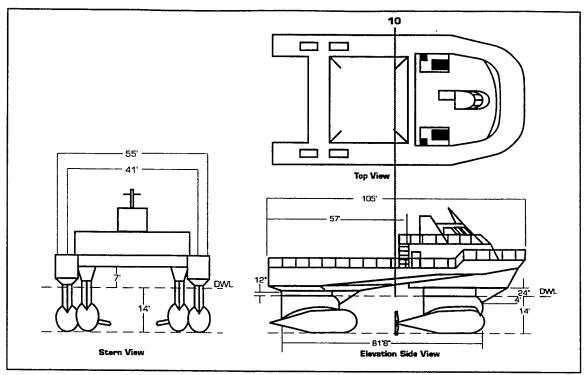


Figure 1. SLICE Hull with Limiting Cross Section, After LMSC, 1994.

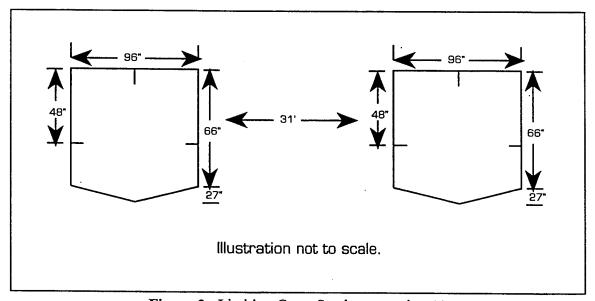


Figure 2. Limiting Cross Section at station 10.

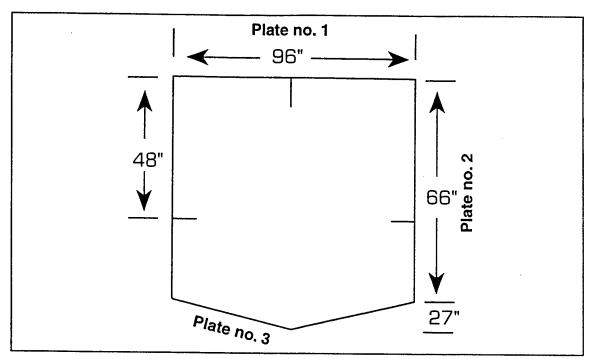


Figure 3. One Side of Limiting Cross Section

	Len-	Area	D	D*a	D ² *A	Ixx	#
Piece	gth	A in ²	in	lin^3	in^3	in ⁴	
	1						
	in						
Plate 1	.25	24	0	0	0	0.125	1
Plate 2	66	16.5	33	544.5	17,968.	5989.5	2
					5		
Plate 3	55.1	13.8	na	*1094.6	*87,843	*836.3	2
Stif-	3	0.75	1.5	1.125	1069	0.5625	1
fener 1	1	1	3.5	3.5	12.25	0.0833	1
Stif-	0.25	0.75	48	36	1728	0.0039	2
fener 2	1.0	1.0	48	48	2304	0.0833	2
Totals		89.85	-	3451	219,701	13,651.5	-

Table (1). Data for One Half Limiting Cross Section.

B. CALCULATIONS

The calculations for the sectional property contribution for plate numbers 1, 2 and the bulb plate stiffeners are fairly straight forward and are based on the equation for the second moment for a rectangle.

$$I_{xx} = \frac{bh^3}{12} \tag{1}$$

where b = length of base of plate

h = height of plate.

Equation (1) is used to determine the second moment of inertial about the centroid of each of these pieces. Figure (4) shows diagrams that approximate the bulb plate stiffeners. Because of the orientation of plate number 3 the values of D*A, D2*A and the second moment of inertia about the plates centroid must be solved with integration. Figure (5a) shows plate number 3 offset from the x axis which runs along plate number 1 and Figure (5b) shows a differential element of the plate.

$$dA = \frac{0.25}{\cos\theta} dx \tag{2}$$

$$d = 66 + \frac{27}{48}x \quad \text{for } 0 \le x \le 48$$
 (3)

Figure (5) shows plate number 3 with the coordinate system located at its centroid.

$$D*A = \int d*da = \int (66 + \frac{27}{48}x) * \frac{0.25}{\cos\theta} dx = 1094.6 in^3$$
 (4)

$$D^2*A = \int d^2*da = \int (66 + \frac{27}{48}x)^2*\frac{0.25}{\cos\theta} dx = 63,711 in^4$$
 (5)

$$I_{xx} = \int y^2 da \tag{6}$$

$$y = \frac{27}{48}x$$
 for $-24 \le x \le +24$ (7)

$$I_{xx} = \int \left(\frac{27}{48}x\right)^2 * \frac{0.25}{\cos\theta}x \ dx = 1475.5 \ in^4$$
 (8)

The neutral axis of the section is determined

$$NA = \frac{\sum D*A}{\sum A} = \frac{3451}{89.85} = 38.43 \text{ in}$$
 (9)

The second moment of inertia about the neutral axis is determined by correcting the second moment of inertia about plate number 1 using the parallel axis theorem.

$$I_{xx} = \sum I_{xxcent.} + \sum D^2 *A - (\sum A * NA^2)$$
 (10)

$$I_{xx} = 219,701 + 13,651.5 - 89.85 * 38.4^2 = 100,656 in^4$$
 (11)

$$I_{total} = 2I_{xx} = 201,312 in^4$$
 (12)

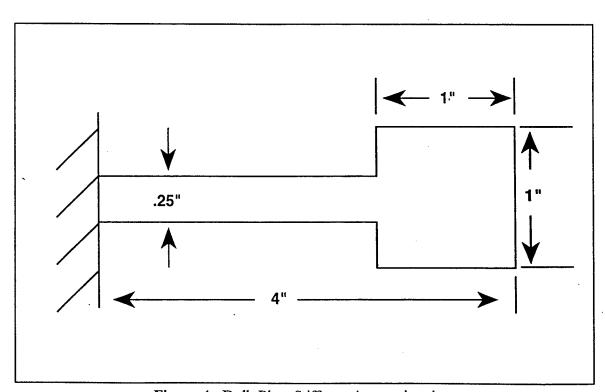


Figure 4. Bulb Plate Stiffener Approximation

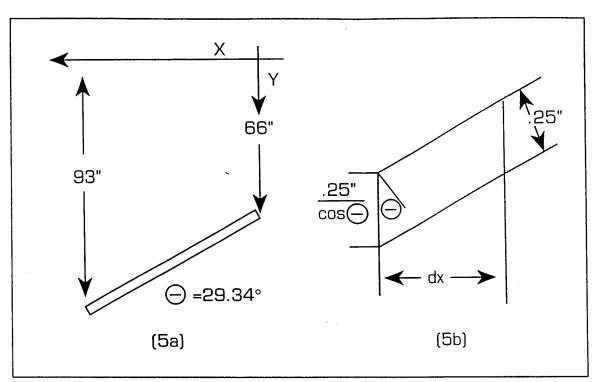


Figure 5. Plate no. 3 and Differential element of Plate no. 3.

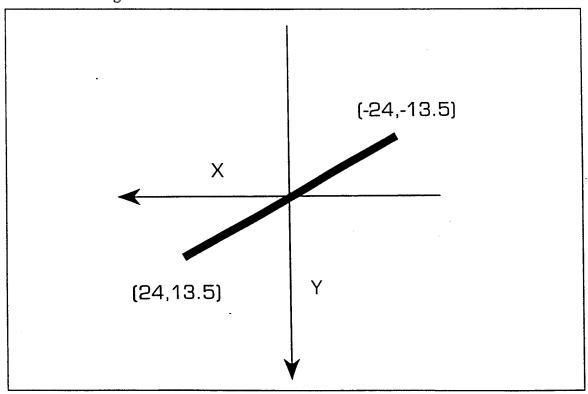


Figure 6. Plate no. 3 with Coordinate System at Center of gravity.

APPENDIX D. NORMAL BENDING STRESS CALCULATIONS

The normal bending stress is determined with the equation

$$\sigma = \frac{M_{total} * C}{I_{xx, total}} (12 \frac{in}{ft})$$
 (1)

where

 M_{total} = the total bending moment {ft*lb_f}

c = the distance form the neutral axis to point of
 interest

= 54.6 in (at station 10)

 $I_{\text{xx total}}$ = the second moment of inertia of the cross section.

 $= 201,312 in^4$.

The total bending moment is the sum of the calm water bending moment and the design extreme dynamic bending moment which is 2.15 times the significant dynamic bending moment

$$M_{total} = M_{CWBM} + 2.15M_{DYN}$$
 (2)

where

 M_{CWBM} = the calm water bending moment

 $= 1,439,300 \text{ ft*lb}_f \text{ (at station 10)}$

 $\emph{M}_{ extit{DYN}}$ = the significant dynamic bending moment.

The significant dynamic bending moments and the normal bending stresses for station 10:

Dynamic Bending Moment for Station 10, Moments are in 10^6 ft*lbf.

10 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 60.0000 75.0000 90.0000 120.0000 135.0000 150.0000 165.0000	SS 2 0.0557 0.0181 0.0374 0.0155 0.0786 0.0093 0.0083 0.0091 0.0115 0.0128 0.0184 0.0136 0.0317	SS 3 0.0971 0.0653 0.0900 0.0759 0.2740 0.1530 0.0719 0.0543 0.0612 0.0716 0.0702 0.0915 0.1110	SS 4 0.1690 0.1570 0.1890 0.2320 0.4650 0.3930 0.3010 0.2390 0.4480 1.3900 0.8760 0.4780 0.4460	SS 5 0.3000 0.2980 0.3290 0.3840 0.6110 0.5480 0.4290 0.4380 0.9220 2.8700 1.9400 1.3800	SS 6 0.4270 0.4270 0.4530 0.5010 0.7030 0.6360 0.4890 0.5480 1.2000 3.6200 2.6900 2.3100 2.3900
15 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 75.0000 90.0000 105.0000 120.0000 150.0000 150.0000 180.0000	SS 2 0.0252 0.0538 0.0750 0.0273 0.0297 0.0491 0.0092 0.0080 0.0136 0.0161 0.0234 0.0162 0.0393	SS 3 0.1090 0.1670 0.1650 0.0851 0.0901 0.3530 0.0655 0.0548 0.0651 0.0884 0.0881 0.0807	SS 4 0.1850 0.2230 0.2080 0.1610 0.2630 0.5000 0.2090 0.2390 0.7570 0.3960 0.3180 0.3060 0.3150	SS 5 0.2610 0.2910 0.2900 0.2970 0.4340 0.6090 0.2820 0.4380 1.5600 0.8970 0.8600 0.9270 0.9580	SS 6 0.3610 0.3860 0.3990 0.4300 0.5630 0.6940 0.3240 0.5620 1.9900 1.3500 1.4500 1.6200
20 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 60.0000 75.0000 105.0000 120.0000 135.0000 150.0000 165.0000	SS 2 0.0474 0.0230 0.0136 0.0249 0.0267 0.0440 0.0105 0.0122 0.0140 0.0193 0.0290 0.0203 0.0483	SS 3 0.5120 0.2110 0.0892 0.1020 0.0651 0.1230 0.0704 0.0708 0.0723 0.0734 0.0897 0.1190 0.1480	SS 4 0.6950 0.3800 0.2200 0.1790 0.1580 0.1990 0.2740 0.7460 0.2910 0.3360 0.4390 0.4900	SS 5 0.7790 0.4970 0.3260 0.2800 0.2870 0.2880 0.2430 0.4920 1.5200 0.7050 0.8660 1.0700 1.1600	SS 6 0.8440 0.5870 0.4310 0.3930 0.4010 0.3640 0.2650 0.6160 1.9100 1.1300 1.4700 1.8200 1.9700

Dynamic Bending Moment for Station 10, Moments are in 10^6 ft*lbf.

25 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 60.0000 75.0000 105.0000 120.0000 135.0000 150.0000 165.0000 180.0000	SS 2 0.0306 0.0184 0.0183 0.0163 0.0281 0.0350 0.0111 0.0122 0.0165 0.0232 0.0237 0.0237	SS 3 0.1320 0.4190 0.1360 0.0947 0.0809 0.0650 0.0753 0.0862 0.0965 0.0910 0.1320 0.1320 0.1240	SS 4 0.3280 0.6940 0.3000 0.2320 0.1270 0.1350 0.1870 0.3070 0.3520 0.3330 0.4110 0.3640 0.3660	SS 5 0.4660 0.8430 0.4190 0.3120 0.1930 0.2050 0.2360 0.5520 0.6950 0.7620 1.0300 1.3000	SS 6 0.5470 0.9220 0.4870 0.3660 0.2580 0.2540 0.6860 0.9580 1.2300 1.7700 2.3700 2.8400
30 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 75.0000 90.0000 105.0000 120.0000 135.0000 150.0000 165.0000	SS 2	SS 3	SS 4	SS 5	SS 6
	0.0380	0.3280	0.7320	0.9390	1.1100
	0.0163	0.2760	0.6130	0.7880	0.9120
	0.0227	0.1620	0.3780	0.5260	0.6160
	0.0126	0.1070	0.2780	0.3970	0.4620
	0.0846	0.2540	0.3200	0.3560	0.3840
	0.0627	0.1160	0.1630	0.2100	0.2470
	0.0122	0.0830	0.1930	0.2390	0.2580
	0.0142	0.0886	0.3280	0.6030	0.7490
	0.0199	0.0705	0.2950	0.6250	0.9160
	0.0249	0.1240	0.4040	0.8930	1.4500
	0.0381	0.1190	0.3570	1.4400	2.6500
	0.0250	0.1390	0.7800	6.4200	12.3000

Total Bending Moment for Station 10, Moments are in 10^6 ft*lbf.

10 Knots					•
Heading	SS 2	SS 3	SS 4	SS 5	SS 6
_0	1.5591	1.6481	1.8027	2.0843	2.3573
15.0000	1.4782	1.5797	1.7769	2.0800	2.3573
30.0000	1.5197	1.6328	1.8457	2.1467	2.4133
45.0000	1.4726	1.6025	1.9381	2.2649	2.5164
60.0000	1.6083	2.0284	2.4390	2.7529	2.9508
75.0000	1.4593	1.7683	2.2843	2.6175	2.8067
90.0000	1.4572	1.5939	2.0865	2.3617	2.4907
105.0000	1.4588	1.5560	1.9531	2.3810	2.6175
120.0000	1.4640	1.5709	2.4025	3.4216	4.0193
135.0000	1.4668	1.5932	4.4278	7.6098	9.2223
150.0000	1.4789	1.5902	3.3227	5.6103	7.2228
165.0000	1.4685	1.6360	2.4670	4.4063	6.4058
180.0000	1.5075	1.6780	2.3982	4.4063	6.5778

Total Bending Moment for Station 10, Moments are in 10^6 ft*lbf.

15 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 60.0000 75.0000 105.0000 120.0000 135.0000 150.0000 165.0000	SS 2 1.4935 1.5550 1.6005 1.4980 1.5032 1.5449 1.4565 1.4685 1.4739 1.4896 1.4741 1.5238	SS 3 1.6737 1.7983 1.7940 1.6223 1.6330 2.1982 1.5801 1.5571 1.5793 1.6294 1.6287 1.6128 1.6481	SS 4 1.8371 1.9187 1.8865 1.7854 2.0048 2.5143 1.8886 1.9531 3.0669 2.2907 2.1230 2.0972 2.1166	SS 5 2.0004 2.0650 2.0628 2.0779 2.3724 2.7487 2.0456 2.3810 4.7933 3.3678 3.2883 3.4324 3.4990	SS 6 2.2155 2.2692 2.2971 2.3638 2.6498 2.9314 2.1359 2.6476 5.7178 4.3418 4.5568 4.9223 5.0513
20 Knots -Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 75.0000 90.0000 105.0000 120.0000 150.0000 150.0000 180.0000	SS 2 1.5412 1.4888 1.4685 1.4928 1.4967 1.5339 1.4619 1.4655 1.4694 1.4808 1.5016 1.4829 1.5431	SS 3 2.5401 1.8929 1.6311 1.6586 1.5793 1.7038 1.5907 1.5915 1.5947 1.5971 1.6322 1.6951 1.7575	SS 4 2.9335 2.2563 1.9123 1.8241 1.7790 1.8672 1.8457 2.0284 3.0432 2.0650 2.1617 2.3832 2.4928	SS 5 3.1141 2.5078 2.1402 2.0413 2.0564 2.0585 1.9618 2.4971 4.7073 2.9550 3.3012 3.7398 3.9333	SS 6 3.2539 2.7014 2.3660 2.2843 2.3014 2.2219 2.0090 2.7637 5.5458 3.8688 4.5998 5.3523 5.6748
25 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 75.0000 90.0000 105.0000 120.0000 155.0000 150.0000 165.0000	SS 2 1.5051 1.4789 1.4786 1.4743 1.4997 1.5146 1.4632 1.4655 1.4748 1.4892 1.5100 1.4903 1.5625	SS 3 1.7231 2.3401 1.7317 1.6429 1.6132 1.5791 1.6012 1.6246 1.6468 1.6349 1.7231 1.7059 1.7510	SS 4 2.1445 2.9314 2.0843 1.9381 1.7124 1.7295 1.8414 2.0993 2.1961 2.1553 2.3230 2.2219 2.2262	SS 5 2.4412 3.2517 2.3401 2.1101 1.8542 1.8800 1.9467 2.6261 2.9335 3.0776 3.6538 4.2343 4.7288	SS 6 2.6153 3.4216 2.4863 2.2262 1.9940 1.9854 2.9142 3.4990 4.0838 5.2448 6.5348 7.5453

Total Bending Moment for Station 10, Moments are in 10^6 ft*lbf.

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30 Knots					
Heading	SS 2	ss 3	SS 4	SS 5	SS 6
0	1.5210	2.1445	3.0131	3.4581	3.8258
15.0000	1.4743	2.0327	2.7572	3.1335	3.4001
30.0000	1.4881	1.7876	2.2520	2.5702	2.7637
45.0000	1.4664	1.6693	2.0370	2.2929	2.4326
60.0000	1.6212	1.9854	2.1273	2.2047	
75.0000	1.5741	1.6887	1.7897	1.8908	2.2649
90.0000	1.4655	1.6178	1.8542		1.9704
105.0000	1.4698	1.6298		1.9531	1.9940
120.0000	1.4821	1.5909	2.1445	2.7357	3.0497
135.0000	1.4928		2.0736	2.7830	3.4087
150.0000		1.7059	2.3079	3.3592	4.5568
165.0000	1.5212	1.6951	2.2069	4.5353	7.1368
180.0000	1.4930	1.7382	3.1163	15.2423	27.8843
100.0000	1.5739	1.8134	2.4885	6.1693	10.2543

Normal Bending Stress at Station 10, Stresses are in Kpsi.

10 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 75.0000 90.0000 105.0000 120.0000 150.0000 165.0000	SS 2 5.0742 4.8111 4.9461 4.7929 5.2344 4.7496 4.7479 4.7649 4.7649 4.7740 4.8132 4.7796 4.9062	SS 3 5.3639 5.1414 5.3142 5.2155 6.6017 5.7550 5.1875 5.0644 5.1127 5.1854 5.1756 5.3247 5.4611	SS 4 5.8670 5.7830 6.0069 6.3078 7.9383 7.4344 6.7907 6.3568 7.8193 14.4109 10.8142 8.0292 7.8053	SS 5 6.7837 6.7697 6.9866 7.3715 8.9599 8.5190 7.6863 7.7493 11.1361 24.7672 18.2596 14.3410	SS 6 7.6723 7.6723 7.8543 8.1902 9.6037 9.1348 8.1062 8.5190 13.0814 30.0154 23.5077 20.8486 21.4084
15 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 75.0000 90.0000 105.0000 120.0000 150.0000 165.0000 180.0000	SS 2	SS 3	SS 4	SS 5	SS 6
	4.8608	5.4471	5.9790	6.5108	7.2105
	5.0609	5.8530	6.2449	6.7207	7.3855
	5.2092	5.8390	6.1399	6.7137	7.4764
	4.8754	5.2799	5.8110	6.7627	7.6933
	4.8922	5.3149	6.5248	7.7213	8.6240
	5.0280	7.1545	8.1832	8.9459	9.5407
	4.7486	5.1428	6.1469	6.6577	6.9516
	4.7796	5.0679	6.3568	7.7493	8.6170
	4.7796	5.1400	9.9815	15.6005	18.6094
	4.7971	5.3030	7.4554	10.9612	14.1310
	4.8482	5.3009	6.9096	10.7023	14.8308
	4.7978	5.2491	6.8257	11.1711	16.0204
	4.9594	5.3639	6.8886	11.3880	16.4402

Normal Bending Stress at Station 10, Stresses are in Kpsi.

20 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 60.0000 75.0000 105.0000 120.0000 135.0000 165.0000 180.0000	SS 2 5.0161 4.8454 4.7796 4.8587 4.8713 4.9923 4.7579 4.7698 4.7824 4.8195 4.8873 4.8265 5.0224	SS 3 8.2671 6.1609 5.3086 5.3982 5.1400 5.5451 5.1770 5.1798 5.1903 5.3121 5.5171 5.7200	SS 4 9.5477 7.3435 6.2239 5.9370 5.7900 6.0769 6.0069 6.6017 9.9045 6.7207 7.0356 7.7563 8.1132	SS 5 10.1355 8.1622 6.9656 6.6437 6.6927 6.6997 6.3848 8.1272 15.3206 9.6177 10.7442 12.1717 12.8015	SS 6 10.5903 8.7919 7.7003 7.4344 7.2315 6.5388 8.9949 18.0496 12.5916 14.9707 17.4199 18.4695
25 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 60.0000 90.0000 105.0000 120.0000 135.0000 150.0000 165.0000 180.0000	SS 2 4.8985 4.8132 4.8125 4.7985 4.8810 4.9293 4.7621 4.7698 4.7999 4.8468 4.9146 4.8503 5.0854	SS 3 5.6081 7.6164 5.6361 5.3471 5.2505 5.1393 5.2113 5.2876 5.3597 5.3212 5.6081 5.5521 5.6991	SS 4 6.9796 9.5407 6.7837 6.3078 5.5731 5.6291 5.9929 6.8326 7.1475 7.0146 7.5604 7.2315 7.2455	SS 5 7.9453 10.5833 7.6164 6.8676 6.0349 6.1189 6.3358 8.5470 9.5477 10.0165 11.8918 13.7812 15.3906	SS 6 8.5120 11.1361 8.0922 7.2455 6.4898 6.4618 9.4847 11.3880 13.2913 17.0700 21.2685 24.5573
30 Knots Heading 0 15.0000 30.0000 45.0000 60.0000 75.0000 90.0000 105.0000 135.0000 150.0000 165.0000 180.0000	SS 2 4.9503 4.7985 4.8433 4.7726 5.2764 5.1232 4.7698 4.7838 4.8237 4.8237 4.8587 4.9510 4.8594 5.1225	SS 3 6.9796 6.6157 5.8180 5.4331 6.4618 5.4961 5.2652 5.3044 5.1777 5.5521 5.5171 5.6571 5.9020	SS 4 9.8066 8.9739 7.3295 6.6297 6.9236 5.8250 6.0349 6.9796 6.7487 7.5114 7.1825 10.1425 8.0992	SS 5 11.2551 10.1984 8.3651 7.4624 7.1755 6.1539 6.3568 8.9039 9.0579 10.9332 14.7608 49.6083 20.0789	SS 6 12.4516 11.0661 8.9949 7.9173 7.3715 6.4128 6.4898 9.9255 11.0941 14.8308 23.2278 90.7536 33.3742

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